

On The Great White Way



NEAR-NEWS AND CHATTER FOR SATURDAY NIGHT

To the lady first correctly guessing the identity of the person of whom the following is a character sketch, and bringing a copy of this paper to the Tribune office, a cash prize of \$1.00 will be given. The subject of the sketch is a prominent citizen of La Crosse. After winning one prize, a contestant will not be eligible to again compete for a period of three months.

The subject of the last contest was Henry N. Boehm, the winner being Edith Lord, 425 North Eighth St.



He's here because he "came back." If you ask a dozen people how he tipped the dopest up side down, each one will give you an entirely different reason. They counted him out once, but ever since he has been clamoring for a return engagement, and when he got it he slipped one over. As "Tim Toolin" sings it, "The major" was more than "twas ever before." To be accurate, there were 2,645 separate and distinct "reasons." One "reason" came from the Big Horn, but the other 2,644 were local—in fact, the Big Horn "reason" was another "come back." Now this isn't a question of whether anybody's lid is on straight. The hub of it seems to have been a sort of general preference for a man who's enemies call him a "good fellow," and whose friends cross continents to fight for him. There were many spokes to the wheel, many of them well spoken of, and bound round all were a felle and a tire. And the wheel was one of four, and there were axles and things that, when assembled, made a band-wagon, and our hero was on the front seat while his manager followed up the rear on the water wagon. And there came unto him a multitude of people who hailed him with great joy and wrote in their calendars that this was the year of the restoration. And they did mark on slips of paper early and often, some making X's and some crosses. And there was rejoicing in the city, and red fire, and speeches, and a great to-do about the amuckness to be, until a Wise One arose and said unto them that they had another guess coming. They took thought unto themselves, and there fell a silence. And the wicked who had praised him wept, and the good who had feared him, acclaimed. But the Wise One sat and watched, like unto a man who has purchased a parquet seat and proposes to see the whole show; when he read the program he did not applaud and he did not condemn, but to the children at his side he said: "Wait until the curtain goes up."

DOC SAYS—
IF THE NEWSPAPERS WOULD CONDUCT A MUNICIPAL CAMPAIGN THE YEAR ROUND WE COULD DO WITHOUT "TOWN TOPICS" AND "JIM-JAM-JEMS."



The council had listened to the appeals of gentlemen who demanded that there be no further delay in making good on the Rubber Mills road, and the commissioner proceeded to heckle the aldermen. "From what fund shall the expense be met?" he asked, well knowing that all funds were short. At this juncture Alderman Frank Kohn arose to his feet and the aldermen settled back in expectancy, for none doubted that Frank would be there with a forensic effort that would scorch the passing hours and forever still the facetious commissioner. And Frank made good. Arranging the papers on his desk and consulting his watch, the alderman plunged his hands into his pockets and plunked into his oration. He spoke as follows: "Take it from the rubber fund." It is not our purpose at this time to explain why four geese walked down Main street at four o'clock in the afternoon. Those who have successfully wrestled with the problem of "why a hen crosses the street" may comprehend at a glance. What puzzled us was why four policemen sho-shoed the geese up the street and turned them into the alley by the Majestic theater. The White Way editor and Alderman Kohn were interested spectators of the incident,

CAIRO SITUATION IS MUCH IMPROVED

River Stationary and It Is Believed that the Levee Will Hold Back the Flood

DIKE BREAKS FLOODING MEMPHIS

Old Section of the Town Inundated; Mount City Reported in Danger

CAIRO, Ill., April 5.—The Cairo situation is much improved today. While the river has been standing since yesterday at the dangerous high stage of 54.7 feet, there has been no advance of the waters and general belief now is that Cairo will escape inundation. Water boiled up in the city streets yesterday from under ground and added to the discomfort. The great pressure exerted by the levees and bulkheads in confining the torrent within these banks is causing it to press its way to lower levels. The report of a break in the levee at Point Pleasant, Mo., seventy miles south of here was unconfirmed today but it gave residents of Cairo fresh hope. H. A. Wheeler, an engineer at the Point Pleasant levee, telegraphed that there had been a break and that the valley there, twenty miles wide by more than 100 miles long, was beginning to fill up. If the report is true the situation here will be greatly relieved. Chicago naval reserves, who were missing for four days aboard the steamer City of Cairo, today told thrilling stories of rescues. Two women, one of them sick with typhoid fever, three children and two men, were rescued from a partly submerged house, floating in the river near Crossno. Two of the children have pneumonia from exposure and may die.

Mound City Distressed
Colonel Dan J. Moriarity, in charge of military forces here, received word from Mound City, eight miles north of Cairo today that a detachment of the Seventh regiment stationed there and citizens were in danger from the flood.

The levees are reported weak and liable to break at any time. Colonel Moriarity left for Mound City immediately to make personal investigation. He will also investigate charges of rioting against soldiers stationed at Mounds and Villa Ridge.

Memphis Levee Breaks
MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 5.—The levees confining the swollen back waters of Bayou Gayosos on the south side, broke here this morning at Third and Concord streets, flooding about five city blocks. No lives were lost. The break will flood all that section of Memphis inundated last year, except the section north of the bayou, connecting the lighting and water plants, which are safe.

The whole section subject to overflow at any stage is only ten blocks of an old part of the city. Water is backing up into this section through the sewers.

Ohio Asks \$2,000,000
COLUMBUS, Ohio, April 5.—Governor Cox today expected to confer with United States Senator Pomerene about introducing a bill in the special session of congress beginning on Monday to appropriate \$2,000,000 or more for the temporary relief of flood sufferers in Ohio.

INDICT FIFTY-SIX OF "ARSON TRUST"

Chicago Grand Jury Gets Merchants and Insurance Adjusters in Its Net

INVESTIGATE THIRTY-ONE FIRES

Total Loss of More Than a Million Dollars Involved in the Probe

CHICAGO, April 5.—Indictments against fifty-six merchants, fire insurance adjusters and alleged fire-bugs, charged with connection with Chicago's "million dollar arson trust," were returned by a special grand jury today. Charges of arson, arson with intent to defraud and conspiracy with intent to commit arson, are contained in the indictments.

In all 259 indictments were returned, several of the accused being charged with several offenses. They are based on confessions made by John Daniels and Benjamin Fink, known as the "torches."

Origin of thirty-one fires, whose losses aggregated more than \$1,000,000, were investigated. In two of these fires, caused by gasoline explosions, lives were imperiled.

"At least fifty per cent of the fires in Chicago are of incendiary origin," is the statement contained in the grand jury's report. "The insurance companies are to blame for tremendous fire losses and it was their laxity that permitted the formation of a conspiracy to burn buildings and collect insurance."

Names of the men indicted will not be made public until next week when arrests are promised. Two of the men indicted according to the assistant state's attorney are owners of big stores and prominent in Chicago.

WILL BARE SHAME TO SAVE HUSBAND
Mrs. Oscar Olson to Confess Relations with the Slain Man on Stand Monday

MINNEAPOLIS, April 5.—Somewhere in Minneapolis today Mrs. Oscar Olson is preparing for the greatest ordeal of her life. Next Monday she will go on the stand, and to save the life of her husband, accused of the murder of a laundry wagon driver, will bare to the public gaze her sin.

To justify her husband, a professor at the Minnesota agricultural college, for killing the man whom she declares hypnotized her, she must continue her story which she barely began Friday afternoon, and at the recollection of which she broke down.

She suffered so that the judge halted proceedings and declared a recess until Monday morning. Her confession yesterday of improper relations between herself and Darling was but the beginning of her trial. The more lurid parts of the story are still to come.

ECONOMICS

By Howard M. Jones

NOTE—The following poem by Mr. Jones may be found in the April number of the American Magazine. Mr. Jones is the clever La Crosse boy who last night won the Northern Oratorical League Debate at Chicago.

THE EDITOR

Dead! In this age of machinery? Yet ask him there, as he grimly lies Taunting the burning, brazen skies, Cradled as if on sod— Ask if his life was any lighter, Ask if his toil was any slighter, Because of machinery!

Dead! With bleared wide eyes and swollen hands And hair like matted slime, A sneer and a smile on his weak-willed face Like one who had conquered Time And wrested the Secret in far-off lands From Death which withheld it a space, Dressed in coarse shirt and tattered coat— Briefly, that's how he looked afloat As he drifted down past the ships And the wondering men who trod The wharves by the reeking slips.

"Who's dead?" "What's happened?" The rumor ran, "Only a common working man Floating dead in the stream." Strange! Didn't he know of the freer range The century gives to a man? He certainly knew in the present age Labor and Capital and Land Divide the returns, hand in hand, And his wages were just and true. Tut—this will never do— Thus no economists scheme! Didn't he know we are happier (Proved so by rule and we must be)

Only a working man—yes, A tramp and a drunkard, no less, A suicide, may be, Dead in the greasy river And hauled to the morgue (they deliver All such bodies as this scot-free). Only if dead in the river, What killed him and flung him there to be

A sight to see with a shiver? Answer, Captains of Industry, Unions, Philanthropists, Crowd-comes-to-see, Why is he dead in the river?

CHARGES SENATOR INSULTED WOMAN

Man Who Declares He Was a Witness Accuses Wearer of Toga from the West

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Charges against a western senator that he offered indignities to a woman were made today by a man who alleged he was a witness. A formal statement was filed by this man with the secretary of the senate and by that official referred to Vice President Marshall.

The secretary of the senate admitted having received a communication from the alleged author of the charges, but neither he nor Vice President Marshall would comment on the matter or state the contents. According to the man who submitted the statement, the western senator is alleged to have offered indignities to a woman on March 24 when he came to her room to confer regarding an appointment for her husband. The author of the charges says that he and several others were previously stationed outside the room.

District Attorney Wilson before whom it was reported that charges against the senator were pending declared this afternoon: "I will not make a further investigation of any charges in this connection. So far as I am concerned, the matter has been dropped."

SCUTARI REPORTED TO HAVE FALLEN
Rumor Comes from Many Sources but Reliable Information Is Lacking

LONDON, April 5.—Scutari has surrendered to the Montenegrins and Servians, according to persistent but unconfirmed reports here today. From Paris and Vienna, (from news agencies and other sources the rumor was heard repeatedly but the foreign office and the diplomats had not authentic information. The reports agreed that the beleaguered city fell early today before a last desperate assault by sixty thousand of the allies.

BILLINGS GETS FORTUNE
CHICAGO, April 5.—C. K. G. Billings, millionaire New York sportsman, will receive \$450,000 through the death of his mother, Mrs. Augusta S. Billings, by provision of her will probated here.

WILSON SUGGESTS SMALL SUGAR TAX

President Awaits Answer of Southern Interests to His Tariff Proposal

FREE WOOL ONLY OTHER TANGLE

Sugar and Wool the Only Provision on Which the Democrats Do Not Harmonize

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Complications developed this afternoon to the "harmony tariff program."

President Wilson was unofficially informed that he must recede from his attitude on the sugar duty or fight the senate. And he issued to the sugar men what practically amounts to an ultimatum.

Either they accept a reduction in the sugar tariff to an almost nominal figure, with free sugar at the end of three years, or the administration will openly declare for immediate free sugar.

Senator Thomas of Colorado, who wants the present duty retained is to make a final appeal on behalf of the sugar men to the president within the next twenty-four hours. He will ask the president to compromise. But the president, according to those who have talked with him, will decline to recede.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—President Wilson was still waiting today for the reply of the southern sugar interests for his suggestion that they accept a duty of one cent per pound on Cuban sugar and \$1.20 on all sugars, this rate to run three years, after sugar goes on the free list.

Colonel Robert Ewing, national committeeman from Louisiana did not believe that a definite answer would be given before Sunday. Other than the sugar rates the tariff bill remains complete and only on sugar and the free wool provision will there be a fight.

Warren Fights Free Wool
Senator Warren of Wyoming (republican) was busy today canvassing his associates in an endeavor to secure pledges sufficient to prevent free wool. Warren, a big sheep owner, insists that the sheep industry of the west will be ruined if the tariff is taken off wool. He was hoping that he might be able to make an alliance between the democrats who do not believe in free wool and those who oppose free sugar, and by this means force the administration to back down in its plan for a radical revision.

At the White house, however, President Wilson was sitting tight. He has had a complete poll of the senate and house made. Only on sugar is there any question, and the president confidently believes that the southern senators will eventually agree to his plan. But if they do not then the sugar schedule will be taken from the general tariff, introduced as a separate measure and passed. In the latter form President Wilson has been assured that he could get republican votes for such a measure.

Steel Rails Free
Steel rails are on the free list in the bill as at present prepared and all of the steel duties have been radically reduced.

There will be an enormous loss in revenues when the new tariff goes into effect, but the congressional leaders and President Wilson have agreed that this will easily be made up through the income tax. This measure as prepared fixes a tax of one per cent on all corporation incomes above \$5,000; one per cent on all personal incomes from \$4,000 to \$20,000; two per cent from \$20,000 to \$50,000; three per cent from \$50,000 to \$100,000; four per cent above \$100,000. These rates will probably stand, although they have not yet been accepted as final.

WEATHER
Temperature for La Crosse during the past 24 hours:
High, 44.
Low, 30.
Precipitation, 0.
Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Fair tonight and probably Sunday; warmer.
Wisconsin: Fair tonight and probably Sunday; warmer Sunday and in west and central portions tonight.
Iowa: Fair tonight and probably Sunday; rising temperature.
Weather Conditions
The weather is generally fair this morning in all sections and with but little cloudiness except in the extreme northwest, the Lake Superior district and along the Atlantic coast.

REMARKABLE BIRDSEYE VIEW OF DAYTON, SHOWING WATER UP TO PORCH ROOFS OF HOUSES IN FOREGROUND



Here is one of the most striking flood photos that has come from Dayton. The camera was pointed from the rear of the Miami Valley hospital, looking west. The arrow at the extreme right of the picture points to the Union Station.

St. Paul 14 2.2
Red Wing 14 5.8
Reeds Landing 12 5.9
La Crosse 12 6.8
Lansing 18 7.3
Fr. du Chien 18 7.9

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Seat sale opens Saturday, April 5, at 9 a. m. Mail
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Saturday, April 12th

Matinee 2:30 and Night 8:15

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Dramatized by Mr. Wright and Elsbury W. Reynolds

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The production is acted,
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A simple pastoral of the
Ozarks; really genuine sentiment.

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As beautiful a story as has
ever been told.

—Dayton, O., "Journal."

PRICES: Matinee, Children 25c, Adults 50c. Night
—50c, 75c, \$1.00. Gallery 25c. Seats Wed. morning.

MISS LOWE CLOSES LECTURE COURSE

Kansas School Teacher
Talks on "The Socialist
Movement" Before a
Large Audience

SAYS CO-OPERATION IS NEEDED

Eagerness for Profit Called
Cause of Capital's In-
justice to La-
bor

Miss Caroline Lowe of Kansas City, Kan., closed the course of socialistic lectures which have been held in the old Y. M. C. A. building, last night, before a crowded house. Miss Lowe was formerly a school teacher in Kansas, and joined the socialist party while in that work. She has later held prominent positions in the woman's organizations of the party and in national campaigns.

Miss Lowe called the attention of her audience to the four addresses that preceded her. She said that it was her intention to try and combine the thoughts of the other speakers in her address, "The Socialist Movement." She pictured the working man as being downtrodden by the capitalist. "The capitalist does not want that deplorable condition, but it is his eagerness for profit that forces him to do these things."

The negro slaves of the southern states were pictured by Miss Lowe, comparing them with the labor of to-



CAROLINE A. LOWE

day. "The workers in the timberlands of Wisconsin are no better than the slaves under the feudal system," said Miss Lowe. "Capitalization is rapidly falling into decay, and if we will organize we can hurry the end of the big interest. Our party must own co-operative stores and granaries."

Miss Lowe declared that women are placed on the same level as men under the socialist party.

Another feature of Miss Lowe's address was her denunciation of the heads of big business, in that these men never invent any of the machinery, or the appliances which help the worker, but it is the worker himself who first conceives of these things.

It was declared that Wisconsin has increased since the presidential election of 1908 in socialists, in spite of the fact that big money interests did all in their power to keep it down. Miss Lowe read reports showing that the socialist vote had increased ten per cent in the last presidential election. She said that the means of organizing were carried on by the progressive party, in the same manner as the socialist party carried on theirs.

"The socialist party is building up an organization in a chain," said Miss Lowe, "and in this way we hope to gradually overcome the great burden on our shoulders, and lift the working man onto a level with the master class."

LABOR MARKET IN MARCH

MADISON, Wis., April 5.—(Special.)—The demand for labor last month increased 20 per cent over March, 1912, according to the monthly labor report of the industrial commission, which maintains the free employment offices in Milwaukee, Superior, Oshkosh and La Crosse. The present year promises to surpass 1912, which was an unusually active year.

Should Be Happy Community.

The distributors of a charity failed to find a single poor person in the village of Llangwm, Pembrokeshire, England. On the contrary, every resident is a freeholder.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO

State of Wisconsin, County Court La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate. Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the fifth Tuesday, being the 29th day of April, A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Adolph Groman, Jr., to admit to probate the last will and testament of Adolph Groman, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County of La Crosse, deceased.

By order of the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

MAHONEY & SCHUBERT,
Attorneys for Estate.

THE TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

WHEN GHOSTS COMMUNED

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

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The feud between the Lanes and the Moores had existed through two generations. It was young Roger Lane's grandfather who had fallen in love with Kate Moore's grandmother when that dainty little lady was even then a wife and mother.

Fortunately, for the honor of the Moore family, and before the crisis came, Kate's grandmother had quickly passed away with the sad knowledge that she loved a man other than her husband. In that former generation the lovers had been wont to meet at the foot of the old garden that lay hidden from the windows of the two dwellings. Since that time the gate connecting the gardens had been locked and the estrangement between the families grew and took on added bitterness even as the ancient lock gathered rust.

It was said and firmly believed by many inhabitants of the old world village that the ghosts of the lovers still haunted the garden and were frequently seen communing among the flowers and trailing about in the moonlight. Scarcely a soul in the village would have dared to enter that secluded garden after the town clock had struck 12.

"It is haunted!" had been whispered from lip to ear for two generations, and the riot of flowers that held many memories, both sweet and bitter, were left to their own tender care.

It was Kate Moore, the younger, with her intrepid spirit and love of romance, who ventured down into the garden one night when the village was wrapped in slumber. She had returned from school after an absence of three years.

"If Roger Lane's ghost comes here," she mused, "I want to see it." She laughed softly as her feet touched the mossy grass of the garden and her long robe trailed in tiny ripples behind her. She had dressed herself in ghostly raiment that her actions might not be mistaken for those of a mortal.

The rusty lock fell apart and Kate found herself trembling slightly amid a kingdom of sweet-smelling flowers. She stood still for a moment, both hands pressed to her heart; it was beating rapidly with the wonders of the flowers that erected their odoriferous heads to a moonlit night.

Roger Lane, the younger, opening

To Keep the Face Fresh, Clear, Youthful

(National Hygienic Review.) More important than the cosmetic care of the complexion is its physical care. To keep the face clean, fresh, youthful, there's nothing better than common mercerized wax. It absorbs the soiled or faded worn-out skin particles. Using cosmetics simply adds unwholesomeness to the complexion. That's the difference. By all means, acquire the mercerized wax habit. It's so easy to get an ounce of the wax at the druggist's, apply at night like cold cream and wash it off next morning. There's no detention indoors, the old skin coming off so gradually no one suspects you're using anything. When in a week or two the alluringly youthful, roselike, underskin is fully in view—well, you won't want, or need, a make-up complexion after that. It must be apparent that this process means complete riddance of all cutaneous blemishes, like freckles, pimples, blotches and blackheads.

For obstinate wrinkles, a face bath made by dissolving an ounce of saxolite in a half pint witch hazel, surpasses massage cream and everything else for results.

his eyes suddenly, blinked, rubbed his eyes and sat up. He had been having his midnight smoke in the garden and had dozed off. From behind a clump of hedge plants he kept fascinated eyes fixed upon the vision that had entered into his domain.

"Give me a ghost girl—if they are all like this one!" he ejaculated under his breath. "Her hair is like a lost moonbeam and the light in her eyes—"

Roger's vocabulary failed him and he drew a sharp breath.

Kate had drawn nearer to him and with a little soft laugh had knelt down to bury her face within the heart of a great pink rose.

"You perfect beauty," he heard her exclaim. She paused for a moment as if thinking while her eyes roamed comprehensively about the garden. "Some one has been nurturing every flower in this place." She continued her peregrination, and Roger Lane heard from time to time tinkling laughter and joyous delight in the flowers.

He dared scarcely breathe, so fearful was he of losing her. In his spotless flannels and white silk shirt he, too, might well be mistaken for a ghost. His head with its mass of sunny hair resembled a Greek God carved in marble.

Kate tripped swiftly toward the clump of hedge plants. It was as if a hand had dragged her. Arriving there she caught, a sharp breath, again put both hands over her heart and did the only sensible thing a girl could do under the circumstances.

Lane jumped swiftly to his feet and took into his arms the figure that had crumpled down at his feet. Her head fell back against his arm, and Roger trembled when he felt her hair sweep over his hand.

There was a tiny fountain in the center of the garden, and toward that masculine remedy for all fainting women, Roger carried his burden.

Very gently he dabbed water upon Kate's white brow. Very gently and very slowly Kate's eyes opened and she lay full upon Roger.

So suddenly had been the ensnaring of his heart that when he reluctantly released Kate from his arms Roger felt as if he had relinquished the world and all that lived therein.

He stood still hardly knowing what his tongue might utter when it finally broke bounds.

"I am not a ghost," Kate said. "I think I realized that," Roger told her, and in the moonlight a blush rose grew in Kate's cheek.

"We are enemies," was Kate's next comment.

Roger stood for a moment in deep thought. Then he pointed to the wide marble bench that lay almost hidden in a bower of wistaria.

"Come," he said gently, "let's talk it over."

Kate followed him through a tiny arch and they sat down on the bench that had held the ancient lovers.

"Your grandfather made my grandmother love her," Kate began accusingly.

"She loved him—in return—remember that," Roger put in in self defense.

Kate's head dropped slightly. "People cannot help loving one another," Roger continued in a gentle tone—"it is the same today as it was then and will be until the end of time—isn't it so, Ghost Girl?"

Kate's fingers fluttered against a great wistaria bloom, and she threw it close to her lips. After inhaling its fragrance she laughed quickly.

"Yes, it is true—but if two people cannot meet—they cannot fall in love." She turned mocking eyes upon him.

"If they have already fallen, the man can always find a way to see the girl," Roger said. "Take for instance, you and I," his tone was light but deep in his eyes Kate saw something that made her tremble. "If we loved one another—I would suggest that we become for the next few weeks—a couple of ghosts. Every night as the village clock struck twelve you would come into this garden that I have been making beautiful for someone whom I might one day love. At the same time I would enter. We would commune here for a half hour or so, and—in the end there would be an elopement—of ghosts."

Kate was a trifle breathless, but she managed to say quickly:

"You are a very heartless man to want to run off with the only ghost in the village. What would the in-

habitants do for a haunted garden?"

"What would the other ghost do without its mate?" Roger asked and waited breathlessly for his answer.

"He would probably be most unhappy and moan continually about like the wind down a chimney," laughed Kate.

"That would be far worse than stealing the one ghost," Roger said, and made a horrible sound like a soul in search of a lost treasure.

"Will the ghost consent to enter the garden each night as the clock strikes twelve?" he demanded softly.

Kate smiled at the eagerness in his eyes.

"Perhaps 11 o'clock would be better," she whispered and slipped off into the night.

GAS NOT FATAL

JANESVILLE, Wis., April 5.—Physicians said today that Mrs. Martha Hayward and her five children who narrowly escaped death by asphyxiation Thursday night, would recover.

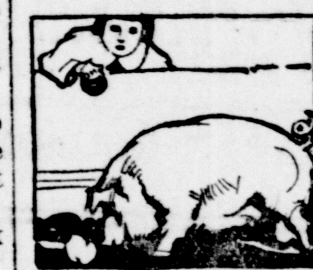
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The Boy Always
Brought Something.

Daddy's Bedtime Story — At the Right Time.

JACK had had a great many different kinds of pets. When daddy said he would tell the children a story about a pet pig, Jack and Evelyn opened their eyes with interest.

"Jerry, to whom the pig had been given when he was a little pink creature, with the cutest little curly tail in the world, was very fond of him. He named the pig Pinkie," said daddy.

"Pinkie had a wonderful appetite. He was always hungry and he ate a great deal. So, of course, he grew very fast and soon became fat."

"Jerry taught Pinkie many clever tricks. When Pinkie got so big that Jerry's mother would not allow him to run about any more, Jerry and his brother made a nice pen for him. It had a trough and a little house in which Pinkie could sleep."

"No doubt Pinkie got quite lonesome living by himself. Whenever he saw Jerry or any of the family coming into the barnyard he would run to the side of the pen and, placing his two front feet on the rail so that he could look over, would squeal a merry welcome."

"Perhaps Pinkie was glad to see Jerry, because he knew the little boy always brought him something nice to eat. Now it would be a cold boiled potato, again it would be an apple. Pinkie liked good things to eat."

"One day Jerry's father came home and said that a party of gypsies had camped over in the woods. This band of gypsies went about the country. They stayed in tents wherever they happened to stop. They made a living, or said they made a living, by trading horses. The women told fortunes and went from door to door selling cheap lace."

"One day some of the women came to the door of Jerry's house. Jerry's mother was sorry for the women. They carried heavy baskets, and they looked very tired. She asked them to sit down on the porch and rest and she gave them something to eat."

"That evening as the family sat in the sitting room Jerry raised his head from the book he was reading."

"Just hear Pinkie squealing," he remarked. "Somebody is out there!"

"Nonsense," Jerry's mother replied.

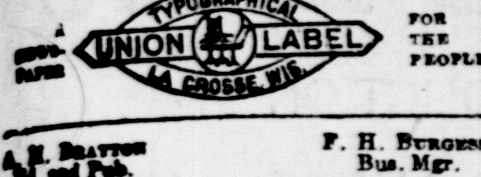
"I'll just take a look," Jerry's father said, lighting a lantern.

"Jerry went out with him. When the lantern was swung outside the barnyard gate, footsteps were heard running away from the barn."

"The barn door had been broken open and so had the door of the chicken house."

"Gypsies, I'm afraid," Jerry's father said. "Pinkie is a wise pig. If he hadn't been for him they might have stolen something."

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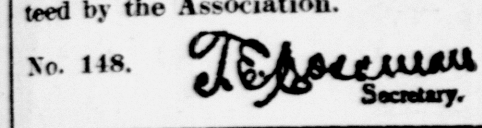
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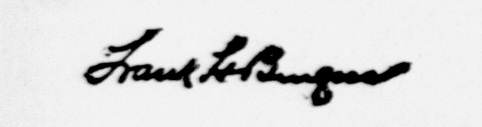
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MINIMUM WAGE
PROPOSALS
Although the principle of a mini-
mum wage law now strongly advocat-
ed by the Bull Moose and contem-
plated in several states is new to this
country, there are countries in which
it has been operative for a num-
ber of years. In several of these
countries it applies to both men and
women. In the United States the agi-
tation has been directed to secure a
minimum wage for women, investi-
gations in various lines of industry
in which women are employed pro-
ducing evidence that many of them
are underpaid. It has been assumed
by many persons that morality is
purely economic and they follow up
this assumption with a belief that a
minimum wage law will be correc-
tive of immorality. This is to be
doubted. If one attempts to draw a
line and say that those paid above a
fixed wage are pure and those below
must fall one sees at once the error.
But wages should support the work-
er, and the minimum wage may
stand alone.
The minimum wage law was first
enacted in Belgium in 1887. It ap-
plied to public contractors and man-
ufacturers of public supplies and or-
dered the payment of certain mini-
mum wage rates to the employees of
these contractors and makers. The
plan has now been extended through-
out the kingdom. The state of Victo-
ria, Australia, has had a minimum
wage law since 1896, and New South
Wales and South Australia have
adopted similar laws within the last
ten years. Minimum wage boards
have been used in England since
1910 to deal with certain industries
in which female home workers are
employed, and last year a minimum
wage law was passed by Parliament
to cover coal miners.
Professor John A. Ryan, in the
Catholic World, reviews the mini-
mum wage projects in the United
States.
"It has," he says, "found a place
in the statutes of Massachusetts, been
introduced in the legislatures of two
other states, been inserted in the na-
tional platform of a great political

party, been authorized in the new constitution of Ohio, and it will be among the bills discussed in the legislatures of several states this winter."

Professor Ryan takes the position that "the establishment of a minimum wage is quite as much a proper function of the state as the safeguarding of life, limb or property."

To protect the healthy morals and mind of the citizen against the injury resulting from an insufficient livelihood is quite as important, both individually and socially as to protect his life against the assassin, his body against the bully, or his money against the thief." He takes no stock in the argument that the state may not touch the wage contract. Such a theory, in his opinion, "has neither political, moral, nor logical foundation."

One objection to a universal minimum wage is, noted by Professor Ryan.

"It consists in the possibility that the increased wages would be followed by increased prices, and, therefore, by diminished production and diminished employment. . . . To be sure, if the wages of all the underpaid workers in America were raised to decent and living levels by one sudden stroke of legal enactment the evil results that we are now discussing would probably be verified. Consequently the advance in wages effected by the law should be gradual, and continuous, not quick and final. In this way the rise in prices would be confined to the products of a very few industries; for the greater part of the increased wages would probably come out of the increased efficiency of the workers, and the diminishing profits of monopolistic establishments and sweating establishments."

LET'S PULL TOGETHER FOR A GOOD ADMINISTRATION

Men grow with experience. Age adds the sober second thought. It is not just to judge any man conclusively by his past performances, provided he has had newer opportunities to learn.

The Tribune's attitude toward Mayor-elect Ori J. Sorensen will be based upon the above truths. Governing a city is a great science, and it is not strange that in their first attempts men commit themselves to errors.

We do not claim superior judgment. It was our opinion that in his first term Mr. Sorensen made two mistakes. They were in relation to matters of policy. We thought he was wrong then, we still think he was wrong. He may have been right—that is a matter of opinion.

It is possible that Mr. Sorensen, too, now thinks he was wrong as to one of the subjects. Either he thinks he was wrong, or he is determined to demonstrate that he was right by putting what he deems the wrong way to the test. At any rate, he has made a public statement to the effect that he will do now what we think he should have done two years ago.

The other of the two matters in relation to which we believed Mr. Sorensen erred is a closed incident; it is no longer a subject for administrative action.

So the Tribune is ready to open up a new set of books with Mr. Sorensen. It hopes to be able to applaud him. It may differ with him, just as men differ in every activity of life, but it proposes to proceed in a frank and friendly manner, upon the theory that Ori J. Sorensen has earnestly committed himself to the task of giving La Crosse a sound and wholesome city government.

U. S. soldiers in Manila are prohibited from appearing in public places with native women. With this edict following the abolishment of the canteen, all the diversion the poor soldier now has in time of peace is hunting the flea.

A musical expert declares ragtime is a sure means of killing moths which attack the wool that decorates the inside works of the instrument. It's cheering to know that ragtime is good for something.

President Wilson is refusing all gifts. He has not turned down, however, any recipes for colds. We are thus safe in sending our suggestions.

Nat Goodwin is reported to be about to try it again. Part of the Goodwin excess baggage must consist of marriage certificates and divorce decrees.

Put mustard on it and anything you have left after the Sunday dinner will make salad for the week.

The government ought to be able to get some concrete evidence against the alleged cement trust.

A Spanish general has inhaled gas, which is a quicker method than inhaling cigarette smoke.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

What Grandmother Wore
They are saying mean things to our faces
Of the trim little hats that we wear,
The close-fitting toques, and the turbans,
That keep all the dust from the hair.
But do they remember the bonnets,
The coal-scuttle bonnets of yore,
All loaded with feathers and flowers,
The bonnets our grandmothers wore?

The funny cartoonists are flaying
The short, narrow skirt of today,
Escaping the germs on the pavement
In wait to be carried away.
Just think of the frounces and scallops,
The gathers behind and before,
The yards that went sweeping the gutters,
In the dresses our grandmothers wore.

Their delicate shoulders were burd-
ened,
And boards in the front of their
stays,
Were some of the tortures that cus-
tomed
Decreed in our grandmothers' days
A waist that was squeezed like a
lemon,
Pantalets coming down to the
floor,
And hoops, were a few of the fash-
ions
Our foolish young grandmothers
wore.


Do you doubt that the world is pro-
gressing,
And scoff at our latter-day clothes?
Then go up to the trunks in the gar-
ret
Where garments discarded repose,
Put on all the finery faded,
The petticoats, too, by the score,
And walk—if you can—in the bun-
dles
Of dry goods our grandmothers
wore.
—Minna Irving in New York Times.

Not Related
A union butcher workman was su-
ing a packing firm to recover dam-
ages for injuries sustained in a Kan-
sas City establishment. A colored la-
borer in the plant was called as a wit-
ness.
"Did you work with Jackson, the
plaintiff?"
"Yessah."
"Do you know the foreman and the
other officers of the plant?"
"Yessah."
"What are your relations with
them?" continued the attorney.
"Now, yo' look-ahere, boss," said
the witness. "Ise skeered. That's a-
why I look so white. Them folks
ain't no relations of mine."

His Musical Call
She was a quiet little old woman,
who had recently moved in from a
neighboring village and had not yet
got accustomed to the many strident
cries of the metropolis:
"I thought I had heard every im-
aginable call," she said, "but for
several days recently what has sound-
ed like 'Baked ap-ples!' has come to
my ears. Curious to learn how these
delicious commodities were peddled,
I waited for the cry again this morn-
ing and when it sounded rushed to
the window and leaned far out. What
was my disgust at beholding a He-
brew peripatetic, with roving eyes
and raucous voice, droning through
his nose, 'Pay cash, clo.'"—New
York Mail.

Easy for the Hens
Among the additions to Washing-
ton society during the last year was
a newly rich family from the west.
The head of this family soon bought
a country place across the Potomac
in Virginia and entered upon a course
of amateur farming. It would ap-
pear, however, from an incident re-
lated by a friend of the family, that


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it mattered little in their case
whether crops were good or bad.
One day this friend was being
shown over the place by the owner's
wife, who proudly enumerated the
attractions of the place and the val-
uable assets thereof. "We have, as
you see," said she, "horses, cows,
pigs, hens, and—
"How nice!" interrupted the vis-
itor. "You can have all the fresh
eggs you want every day."
The mistress hesitated. "Of
course," she said, "the hens may lay
if they wish to, but really in our
position it isn't at all necessary that
they should."

Showing Due Respect
An English lord was a guest in a
certain home, and his hosts were
very anxious to show the highest re-
spect to their distinguished visitor.
The best food in the market was
served at the meals, and the conver-
sation was plentifully interspersed
with "My lord" this, and "My lord"
that, in obsequious tones.
In the morning, the hostess, wish-
ing to send some warm water to his
ladyship by her 10 year old son, in-
structed him thus:
"Now, Charles, knock at the door
of his room, and if he asks, 'Who
is there?' you must answer, 'It is
the boy, my lord.'"
Charles proceeded up stairs, and
knocked at the guest room door, and
the visitor asked from within, "Who
is there?"
But the child, overwhelmed by the
responsibility of his errand, became
confused and replied, "It is the Lord,
my boy."—Selected.

A Cure for Alcoholism
President Taft, who neither drinks
spiruous liquors nor believes in other
people indulging in them, tells
this:
A young man had fallen into the
habit of struggling through his
work every day and then making a
much more desperate struggle to get
home after he had patronized several
saloons. Finally his long suffering
wife could stand it no longer, and
she delivered a hot lecture to him
on his bad behavior.
"My dear," he said seriously, "I'm
a great man. All great men drink.
Drinking and greatness go together.
History shows it. Look at Poe, Bob-
bie Burns, and—
"That's all right," cut in the wife,
"and I agree to it. You just promise
to quit drinking until you're great,
and I'll be satisfied."—Popular Mag-
azine.

The Ethics of Graft
A certain saloonkeeper years ago
was elected to the legislature of a
southern state at a time when there
was important legislation pending.
He accepted \$1,000 for his vote on a
certain measure. The deal was
hardly closed when the opposition
came round, offering him \$2,000.
The temptation was strong, but the
new member shook his head.
"No gentleman as is a gentleman,"
he said, "will sell out twice on wan
proposition."

Extraordinary Epitaph.
One of the most extraordinary epi-
taphs in the world is upon a tombstone
in the cemetery at Debreczin, in Hun-
gary. Literally it reads as follows:
"Here lie Joseph Moritz, murdered
at sixty-two by his son; Isabella Mor-
itz, wife of the aforesaid Joseph, poi-
soned at fifty-seven by her daughter;
Elizabeth Moritz, who committed sui-
cide at twenty after having poisoned
her mother; Joseph Moritz, murderer
of his father, who died in prison at
twenty-seven."

The Just and The Unjust
By Vaughan Kester
The Prodigal Judge

"I'm done with them!" cried Joe Montgomery with a great oath. He raised one clenched hand and brought it down in the opened palm of the other. "Andy's everlastingly lied to me; I won't help send no man up for life!"

"What do you mean?" demanded the judge, astonished at this sudden outburst, and impressed, in spite of himself, by the man's earnestness.

"Just what I say, boss! They can count me out—I'm agin 'em, I'm agin 'em every time!" And again, as if to give force to his words, he swung his heavy fist around and struck the open palm of his other hand a stinging blow. "Eatin' and sleepin', I'm agin 'em! I ain't liked the look of this from the first, and now I'm down and out, and they can go to hell for all of me!"

The judge rested an elbow on the chimneypiece and regarded Mont-
gomery curiously. He knew the man was drunk; he knew that sober he would probably have said much less than he was now saying, but he also knew that there was some powerful feeling back of his words.

"If you are involved in any questionable manner with Mr. Gilmore, I should advise you to think twice before you go further with it. Mr. Gilmore is shrewd, he has money; you are a poor man and you are an ignorant man. Your reputation is none of the best."

"Thank you, boss!" said Mont-
gomery gratefully.

"Mr. Gilmore probably expects to use you for his own ends regardless of the consequences to you," finished the judge.

"Supposin'—," began the handy-
man huskily, "supposin', boss, I was to go into court and swear to some-
thing that wasn't so; what's that?"
and he bent a searching glance on the judge's face.

"Perjury," said the judge lacon-
ically.

"What's it worth to a man? I reckon it's like drinkin' and steal-
in', it's got so many days and costs
chalked up against it?"

"I think," said the judge quietly,
"that you would better tell me what
you mean. Ordinarily I should not
care to mix in your concerns, but on
Nellie's account—"

"God take a likin' to you, boss!"
cried Montgomery. "I know I ought
to have kept out of this. I told Andy
Gilmore how it would be, that I
hadn't the brains for it; but he was
to stand back of me. And so he will
—to give me a kick and a shove
when he's done with me!"

He saw himself caught in that
treacherous fabric Gilmore had
erected for John North, whose pow-
erful friends would get him clear.
Andy and Marsh would go unscat-
tered, too. Only Joe Montgomery
would suffer—Joe Montgomery,
penniless and friendless, a cur in
the gutter for any decent man to
kick! He passed the back of his
hand across his face.

"It's a hell of a world and he
damned to it," he muttered hoarse-
ly under his breath.

"You must make it clearer to me
than this!" said the judge impa-
tiently.

Montgomery seemed to undergo a
brief but intense moral struggle,
then he blurted out:
"Boss, I lied when I said it was
North I seen come over old man
McBride's shed that night!"

"Do you mean to tell me that
you perjured yourself in the North
case?" asked the judge sternly.

"Sure, I lied!" said the handy-
man. "But Andy Gilmore was back
of that lie; it was him told me what
I was to say, and it's him that kept
houndin' me, puttin' me up to say
more than I ever agreed to!" He
slouched nearer the judge. "Boss,
I chucked up the whole business; do
you understand? I want to take
back all I said; I'm willin' to tell
the God A'mighty's truth!"

He paused abruptly. In his excite-
ment he had forgotten what the
truth meant, what it would mean to
the man before him. He was vague-
ly aware that in able hands than
his own, this knowledge which he
possessed would have been molded
into a terrible weapon, but he was
impotent to use it; with every ad-
vantage his, he felt only the de-
grade pass in which he had placed
himself. If Gilmore and Marshall
Langham could juggle with John
North's life, what of his own life
when the judge should have become
their ally?

"Me and you'll have to fix up
what I got to say, boss!" he added

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with a cunning grin.
"Do you mean you wish to make a statement to me?" asked the judge.
The handy-man nodded. The judge hesitated.
"Perhaps we would better send for Mr. Moxlow," he suggested.
But Montgomery shook his head vehemently.
"I got nothin' to say to that man Moxlow!" he growled with sullen determination.
"Very well, then, if you prefer to make your statement to me," and the judge turned to his desk.
"Hold on, boss, we ain't ready for that just yet!" Joe objected. He was sober enough, by this time.
"What is it you wish to tell me?"
And the judge resumed his former position on the hearth-rug.
"First you got to agree to get me out of this."
"I can agree to nothing," answered the judge quietly.
"I ain't smart, boss, but Joe Montgomery's old hide means a whole lot to Joe Montgomery! Wou give me your word that I'll be safe,
no matter what happens!"
"I can promise you nothing," repeated the judge.
"Then what's the use of my tell-
ing you the truth?" demanded Joe.
"It has become the part of wis-
dom, since you have already admit-
ted that you have perjured your-
self."
"Boss, if it wasn't John North I
seen in the alley that day, who was
it?" and he strode close to the
judge's side, dropping his voice to a
whisper.
"Perhaps the whole story was a
lie."
The handy-man laughed and
drew himself up aggressively.
"I'm a man as can do damage—I
got to be treated right, or by the
Lord I'll do damage! I been bad-
gered and hounded by Marsh and
Andy Gilmore till I'm fair crazy.
They got to take their hands off me
and leave me loose, for I won't hang
no man on their say-so! John North
never done me no harm, I got noth-
ing agin him!"
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RUSHFORD MINN

Miss Cora Maland who has been spending the Easter vacation with her home folks, has returned to her studies at Menominee, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Knudson of this city have been having as a guest Mr. Torkjel Thorud of Toronto, S. D. Mr. Thorud has been confined to a La Crosse hospital for several weeks but has recovered nicely and will spend some time with friends and relatives in and around this city before returning to his home.

Mr. Theodore Ukestad of Houston and Miss Julia Olson of Peterson, were united in marriage last week. They will commence housekeeping upon the farm recently purchased by the bride.

Another pretty wedding was solemnized last week at Prosper, when Miss Dora Thorson became the bride of Albert Johnson, formerly of Peterson, but more recently of Fountain.

Mrs. Ed Quickstad has been the recent guest of relatives and friends in Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Mangus Reishus spent a day or so with Whalen relatives recently.

George Johns is in La Crosse, where he has found employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Grinager of Rush Creek Valley were business visitors in La Crosse a day or so ago.

Helmer Toftstad has gone out to Maple Creek, Sask., Canada, where he intends to file upon a homestead.

Archibald Thompson of Fetting, N. D., who has for some time been the guest of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dahl of Choice, has returned home. Mrs. Thompson and little daughter will remain at Choice for some weeks yet until the weather becomes more settled.

Albert Holle transacted business at Spring Grove several days recently.

Eugene Highum of North Prairie, has returned to his studies at Wino-

na after spending his Easter vacation with home folks.

Rev. Dennis, formerly of this city, held services at Emmanuel church last Sunday.

Mrs. Alvin Carrier of Yucatan, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. McDermaid of North Rushford. Mr. McDermaid, who fell and broke his hip on Christmas eve, is now able to get around with the aid of crutches.

Miss Matilda Haroldson of Oak Ridge, has been visiting friends here the past two weeks.

Miss Rose Davidson, who spoke last Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at the Presbyterian church of this city, captured the hearts of her audiences by her forceful ways of telling things and by the drawing power of her personal magnetism has been enabled to make friends of many who, before her coming, had been somewhat skeptical of her ability.

Upon Tuesday evening her subject was "The Story of the Roses," being a very wide and comprehensive synopsis of the popular book of that name. An eloquentist of more than ordinary ability, she held her audience tense with interest from first to last. The recital was given in two parts, the short intermission being filled in by singing, both by the congregation and by an anthem by the church choir. Wednesday evening, Miss Davidson spoke upon "A Practical Vision," and gave a new and wonderful meaning to the scripture lesson taken for her text. Miss Wright, with Miss Eggen as her accompanist, gave a beautiful solo "Save Me, Dear Lord," which was appreciated by all. Last night Mr. Youngdahl spoke at Nelson's Opera house and next Sunday there will be held union services at the Elite, Hon. Lobeck being the principal speaker. There will be special music by the Presbyterian choir.

The many friends of Mrs. Louis Peterson of Harmony, were grieved to hear, a few days ago, of her very serious illness and though everything that medical skill can accomplish is being done, there exist grave doubts as to her recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Gynther Overland drove down from Bratsberg for a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Streeter, Mrs. Overland's parents.

Mrs. Hugh Lampman, who has been ill with rheumatism and the gripe, is again able to be about the house.

Last Wednesday afternoon there occurred at the Lutheran parsonage, of this city, the marriage of Mr. Samuel Anderson and Miss Julia Sams, both well known and highly respected young people of this vicinity. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Jaarstad and was witnessed by only a few of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. Miss Mattie Backman acted as bridesmaid and Henry Baker was groomsmen. A wedding supper was served after which the newly weds took the evening

train for a short visit to La Crosse and Winona.

Mrs. Gilbert Gunderson visited her daughter and family at Peterson this week.

Miss Hilda Stensing, a former Rushford young lady who is now a nurse at Chisholm, Minn., has been home upon a short vacation, leaving for her work again this week.

Mrs. Abe Abrahamson and daughter, Marion, are in Houston, the guest of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ahern, of Lanesboro, last week welcomed to their home a sturdy little daughter. Mrs. Ahern was formerly Miss Mae Layne of this city.

BASEBALL CLUBS BEING ORGANIZED

"Baseball is in the air," said one of the enthusiasts of the sport on the North side this morning. All those who can throw the sphere have been out for the past few days, including not only the grownups but the small boys.

The organization of several small leagues is being talked of, and those who are adept in the art are forming temporary clubs and making plans for games with other leagues.

The Copeland Park indoor league reorganized a few days ago. They intend to use the Copeland park ball grounds. Their league will consist of the following teams: Yehle's Colts, the Benedicts, Copeland Stars, "Baldie" Merrill's Big Store team, and one or two others. No games have been scheduled for the season as yet, but when the teams get together they will create a great deal of interest, as they have the record of being among the fastest players on the North side.

The Nelson Clothing company will bowl the Old Style Lagers next Thursday night at the Combination alleys in an exhibition game.

The brick building at 1234 Rose street, owned by John Dowling will be remodeled into a four flat apartment house. Mr. Dowling is planning to install modern improvements throughout the apartments, and put in steam heat. This building promises to be the most up-to-date apartment house on the north side of the city.

FRANKLIN CLUB TO DEBATE AT "Y"

The Y. M. C. A. has granted the Franklin club the use of their banquet hall for a debate, which will be held on the night of April 17. The club will debate the woman suffrage question, and it is expected that the debate will be largely attended, as the question is one of national importance at the present time.

Paul Mahoney will speak for the affirmative, and Paul Schulze will uphold the negative. These leaders will have able assistants.

This debate will probably be the last one of the season, as the club recently proposed to disband for the summer.

Good Kinder. In some sections kindlings are very hard to secure, owing to a lack of timber of all kinds. An inexpensive kindler may be made as follows: Take to one pound of resin three ounces of tallow, and while still hot after melting mix with fine sawdust, straw or any inflammable material and mold in small pieces about one inch square. One pair will start a fire in the stove.

Frank, at Least. "My dear, my salary has been raised." "Good. Now I can start in being extravagant."—Detroit Free Press.

The Work We Love. To business that we love we rise betime, and go to't with delight.—Shakespeare.

North Side

ENGINE DROPPED 7 FEET IN PIT

Huge Mogul Runs Off the Track at Turntable; Engineer Gets Shaking Up

A large engine of the "B. 4" type was accidentally run into the turntable pit of the Milwaukee roadhouse yesterday afternoon, while Engineer Albert Blanchard was making a change of tracks.

Blanchard gave the signal for A. Hilbert, the turn table operator, to set the table for his engine to run onto. The engine was started, evidently before the track was set, and as there was no air in the engine tanks to set the brakes, it jumped the track and fell seven feet in the pit. A large steam derrick was brought from the Chicago Burlington and Quincy roads which hoisted the engine out. The engineer while shaken up, was not seriously injured.

J. J. Hemmingson, Milwaukee; J. W. Stapleton, D. H. Berg and Mr. Opie, officials of the Milwaukee railroad have gone on an inspection tour to the Dubuque division to ascertain the reason of freight cars jumping the track, while running at a slow rate of speed.

On Thursday and Friday Union Refrigerator cars jumped the track at several different places, with apparently nothing wrong with them. While no damage has been done, the officials of the company fear that such occurrences may cause wrecks. One of the cars that jumped the track several times within a mile has been sent out on a side track at New Albin and the officials will investigate it.

Runaway Boys Are Caught by Police

Two small boys, who were seen wandering around the freight yards of the Milwaukee at 2:30 a. m. today, were taken in charge by a patrolman of No. 2 police station and locked up. They gave their names as Roy Wyman, 15, and Wilford Toal (alias R. Mitchell), 14.

After being quizzed by officers of the station they said they had run away from their homes in Portage a few days ago. "We had intended to travel west, and probably take in the Panama American exposition," said Wyman, the older of the two boys. Although fairly well dressed, the boys showed signs of not being accustomed to "beat" their way. They had no money when found.

Chief of Police John Webber called Portage over the long distance telephone this morning and got in touch with Wyman's father, who will probably arrive here today and take the boys back to their home. The boys did not seem to be pleased with the idea of their father taking them back.

Otto Lee Breaks Bowling Records

The previous bowling record for three games of 669 pins, established by J. M. Voves some time ago, was shattered last night by Otto Lee, in making a total of 682 pins in three games. The scores rolled by Mr. Lee were 262, 233 and 187. Mr. Lee also holds the alley record for a single game at the Bismarck alleys, with 258 pins.

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As a Last Resort.

"Should a girl propose to a bashful suitor?" "Not until she has tried everything else. Ask him if he is going to invite you to his wedding. That usually starts something."

Not a Complaint.

There is a good deal of complaint because people don't walk more, but it doesn't come from the head of a large family with shoes to buy.—Atchison Globe.

Familiar Type.

A hypocrite, son, is a person who posts moral commandments in conspicuous places about his premises and goes out and forgets them.—Judge.

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The new two fuel range uses any kind of gas, coal or wood. Use one or both at the same time.

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NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

Features at the Dreamland.

Miss Burdell Morrison, 739 Caledonia street, is visiting in Waukesha.

Miss Alida Gilbertson, Waukesha, will leave today for her home, after a short visit with relatives and friends on the north side of the city.

Miss Pederson is confined at her home, 1504 Charles street with a serious illness.

Axel Moan is visiting friends and relatives on the north side and will later return to his home in West Salem.

Olaf Olson is visiting friends and relatives in Westby.

May Gerke, Waukon, Iowa, is the guest of Mrs. William Dwyer, Minn street, for two weeks.

Chester Chisholm, West La Crosse, is visiting friends on the north side.

Alex Thompson returned to his home in Onalaska last night, after transacting business on the north side of the city.

John Summers returned from Milwaukee, where he was on a business trip, and visiting friends.

Miss Ruth Erickson, 1436 Kane street, who has been ill for the past two weeks, has recovered.

Miss Vera Kelly has returned to Sparta after spending a few days in the city.

Miss Ruts Erickson, 1436 Kane street, has returned from Sparta after visiting friends.

Henry Noem, Blending, Ill., is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Noem, 1711 Charles street.

Reed Horder is slowly recovering from the illness which has confined him to his home, 1623 Prospect St.

T. Corbett has returned to his home, 909 Charles street, after spending the past week in Cassville.

Mrs. J. Larkin is again able to be about after being confined to her home, 407 Sumner street, with illness.

Joe Mangner, Potosi, is visiting at his home, 1517 Prospect street.

A. Peterson has returned to his home, 1553 Berlin street, after spending the past few days in Victoria.

Arthur Sagen, who is confined to his home, 822 Berlin street, with illness, is slowly recovering.

Miss Helen Breuer has returned to her home in Caledonia after visiting relatives and friends on the north side for the past few days.

Herman Zeller, Kilbourn, is visiting relatives and friends on the north side.

Miss Matilda Miller has returned

to Eau Claire, where she will again resume her duties as principal of schools.

Miss Minnie Saley of Bangor is ill at one of the local hospitals.

Miss Helen Darling of Madison, Wis., is the guest of friends on the north side.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Daly and children, Joseph and Florence, of Hokah, are the guests of relatives and friends on the north side.

Boyd Casterline, West Salem, is spending a few days with relatives on the north side.

Miss Clara Semington, 1502 Charles street, has left for Makoti, N. D., where she will make her future home.

Rev. I. Larson will speak in the Scandinavian Baptist church Sunday morning.

DOERFLINGER FIRM DOUBLES CAPITAL

MADISON, Wis., April 5.—(Special.)—The William Doerflinger Company of La Crosse has filed an amendment to its articles with the secretary of state, increasing its capital stock from \$170,000 to \$240,000. Of the 2,400 shares, one-half are to be common and one-half preferred stock, of a par value of \$100 each.

PLAN FOR MEMBERSHIP

The membership committee of the La Crosse County Hunting and Fishing association met last night in the office of Dr. A. T. Rasmussen, in the Linker building. Ways and means were discussed of getting more members. The association wants every knight of the rod and gun to join with them, in order to unionize their efforts, in obtaining just laws in regard to hunting and fishing. Members of the club report that they are well satisfied with the legislature in their endeavors to enact just laws.

MERRY WORKERS PARTY

The "Merry Workers" Sewing club was entertained at the home of Miss Paula Peterson, 1307 Avon street on Friday evening. In place of spending the evening sewing the girls all came wearing red hearts indicating that they had come for a good time and not to work. Six of the girls, dressed in suitable old-maidish costumes, told in laughable rhyme "The reasons why I never married." The rest of the evening was spent in playing games and music.

Miss Peterson who is to be a June bride, was presented with a cut glass bowl and platter.

BIG MORGAN FORTUNE WILL GO TO WIDOW AND THREE CHILDREN: J. P. MORGAN, JR., ANNE MORGAN AND MRS. HERBERT SATTERLEE



Left to right: J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., Mrs. E. L. Satterlee, Herbert L. Satterlee (top right) and Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan, Sr.

The most of the great fortune left by J. Pierpont Morgan will go to his widow and his three children. The latter are Anne Morgan, an unmarried daughter; J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., 46 years old, and Mrs. Herbert L. Satterlee, wife of the well-known New York lawyer. The fortune left by the great financier is said to approximate \$250,000,000.

On the "firing line"

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SAYS DAYTON IS IN NEED OF FOOD

Describing briefly the plight of the flood sufferers in Dayton, a letter received by D. C. Dewey, superintendent of the City Mission this morning from Peter Quartel, declares the city is in great need. He says that the city is under martial law, and that any one appearing upon the streets after six in the evening will be shot. Mr. Quartel is superintendent of the Dayton mission, and he says that everything the mission owned was swept away. The building was directly in the path of the flood. According to Mr. Quartel, there is scarcely enough food in the city to go around, and no water, gas or electricity. The Dayton mission is appealing for funds.

TRACED BY LETTERS

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 5.—Fred Baldwin, who escaped from the state prison at Stillwater Sunday night, was captured Thursday at Bruno, Minn., near Duluth. He was behind prison walls again last night. Baldwin was located through letters he wrote to his sweetheart in Bruno.

BUFFET CAR LICENSE

MADISON, Wis., April 5.—The Bowe bill fixing a license fee of \$100 for buffet cars in which intoxicating liquors are sold has been recommended for passage by the assembly committee on state affairs.

USE ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE.

The antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes. If you want rest and comfort for tired, aching, swollen, burning feet, use Allen's Foot-Ease. It cures corns and bunions of all pain and prevents blisters, sore and callous spots. Just the thing for Dancing Parties, Patent Leather Shoes, and for Breaking in New Shoes. It is the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Try it today. Sold everywhere. Don't accept any substitute. For FREE trial package, address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

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OHIO FLOOD DRAWS CAPACITY AUDIENCES

The Ohio and Dayton flood pictures drew big crowds to the Lyric last evening and many went away after shivering in the cold outside waiting to get a seat.

The Lyric manager is shaking hands with himself for having those pictures again tonight, as the weather conditions are favorable today and the many who were disappointed yesterday will have an opportunity to see this wonderful series of pictures. Tonight is probably the last time they will be shown in La Crosse. The Dayton flood pictures are the features of the four reel program at the Lyric tonight.

Room for Courage.

There is no duty so small, no trial so slight, that it does not afford room for courage. It has a meaning and value for every phase of existence; for the workshop and for the battlefield, for the thronged city and for the lonely desert, for the sick room and for the market place, for the study and for the counting house, for the church and for the drawing room.

For courage is just strength of heart, and the strong heart makes itself felt everywhere, and lifts up the whole of life, and ennobles it, and makes it move directly to its chosen aim.—Henry van Dyke.

PERSONALS

Andre's orchestra, Lyric tonight.

Miss Matilda Miller, who has been spending the spring recess at the home of her mother on upper Caledonia street, returned this morning to Eau Claire, Wis., to resume her duties as principal of the Sixth ward school there.

B. A. Yeomen meeting next Tues. Apr. 8. Dancing 9 on.

S. Owen, Mable, Minn., transacted business in this city yesterday.

P. J. Bridwell, Ferryville, Wis., returned to his home this morning after a brief business visit to this city.

There will be an E. F. U. meeting tonight.

J. Daley, Caledonia, Minn., is the guest of friends here for a few days.

Harry Till, who has been here transacting business, has returned to his home in Caledonia.

S. H. Knick, Tomah, is in the city on business.

Card party and dance by Ladies Governor's Guard association, Sunday, April 6, at Armory hall.

C. O. Melly and wife are in the city visiting friends and transacting business for a few days.

M. Narverson, Decorah, is the guest of friends here while on a business trip.

M. Barham, Ferryville, is returning to his home, after a short visit to this city on business.

If you are in need of Tornado Insurance or in need of Money I have \$20,000 to loan at five per cent in amounts from \$500 to \$5,000 on La Crosse Real Estate. Inquire of B. H. Volz, 624 So. 7th. Both phones.

William Shamp, Aurora, Ill., who has been here for the past few days has returned to his home.

Patrick McHale, Wykoff, spent yesterday in the city on business.

Pythian Sisters have postponed their card party indefinitely.

D. Egan, Dubuque, returned to his home last night, after a visit in this city.

J. O. Paulson, Sparta, transacted business in this city yesterday morning.

Dr. Brandenburg, formerly in the McMillan Bldg., now has his dental offices at 306 Pearl St., in connection with Dr. E. H. Wanko, the new German dentist. New phone 1367-R.

George M. Laird, Lynn, is the guest of friends in this city while transacting business.

Martin Narverson spent yesterday afternoon in visiting friends here, and later returned to his home in Fountain.

Lesley Gaust, Viroqua, is visiting friends and relatives in this city on business.

Hack calls day and night. Gateway City Transfer Co. Phone 179.

W. H. Harris, Rockton, visited in the city this morning.

Herman Asp, Genoa, is the guest of friends here for a few days.

C. E. Brandt, Viroqua, is returning to his home, after a visit in this city transacting business.

Work of laying the new sewer on north Third street, contract for which was recently let by the city council, will be begun by the Thill-Manning-Whalen company Wednesday.

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WHAT TO GET FOR your cough or cold, trustingly get a 50c bottle of that well tried Gray's Yerba Santa Cough cure.

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BUSINESS PAUSE

SHORT DURATION

Batavian Bank Report for Month of April Shows Satisfactory Conditions

The Batavian National Bank of La Crosse Reports on General Business and Crop Conditions for April 1.

Business over the entire country, continues to reflect satisfactory conditions. The pause in some lines of industry noted earlier in the year, and which were considered as reflecting commercial uncertainty based on probable tariff changes, seems to have been a seasonal recession of short duration.

A peculiar feature of the present situation has been the diverse tendencies in the business and financial fields. Trade indications reflect commercial activity. Declining securities on the stock exchange have indicated a severe international credit strain, with some want of optimism as to the future, but domestic conditions do not disclose any fundamental weaknesses.

Appalling loss of life and property destruction with which the month of March closed must, of course, be now reckoned as a factor, the importance of which on the general prosperity of the country is not yet determinable. A rich area of territory has been stricken. The probability that the floods which have raged in the Ohio valley will be followed in some degree by floods in the lower Mississippi river region makes the outlook more grave.

But the influence that will have more to do in determining the future activity of business is just swinging into prominence. April will bring the first government crop report that will permit some anticipation of the ultimate harvest, even though it is too early to have positive value. Its worth as a forecast of the probable winter wheat crop is in the margin of leeway it gives for possible impairment before the condition declines below the point of normal yield.

There is every indication that the April condition will be above the average unless the flood damage in the soft winter wheat belt is more serious than is now anticipated. The exceptionally mild winter has, undoubtedly, minimized losses by winter killing and the moisture deficiency last fall in important areas of the winter wheat belt stimulated the underground growth and produced an exceptionally vigorous plant. Since the last half of March, soil conditions have been improved by rain and snow, dissipating all fear of drouth at the beginning of the growing period.

Reports from the south and southwest are favorable. In the northwest, where farming operations will begin with April, the soil is in excellent shape. North Dakota and Minnesota are considered, from the moisture standpoint, as being in the best condition for years and recent snows in South Dakota have relieved the deficiency of precipitation in that section.

FEDEALS TO TRY SORTIE FROM NACO

DOUGLAS, Ariz., April 5.—Within the next thirty-six hours General Ojeda and his 300 federals, who are holding Naco, Sonora, are expected to make a desperate effort to cut a way to safety through 800 Maderista troops who surround Naco.

Fifty federals last night started what seemed to be a general engagement along the Maderista lines, but were repulsed and retired into Naco. General Ojeda, commanding the Maderistas is determined not to attack Naco, fearing to cause fatalities on the American side of the border.

TAMMANY LEADER GANGSTERS' VICTIM

NEW YORK, April 5.—A victim of gangsters, Eugene Smith, member of the downtown Tammany club and formerly an active worker under "Big Tom" Foley, in the second district, was shot and killed at midnight. While the police are in search of the man who stepped from the shadows and fired on Smith, they are also working on the theory that the bullets were really intended for another man.

And Yet the Dance Halls Thrive.

Young Man (approaching a girl)—"Er—may I have this one?" Oh, you're too kind. You don't mind if I hum, do you? Do you know, I'm just dippy over this here dip. Tee-hee, joke. Floor's swell tonight, ain't it? Gee, but I like to dance with you! Tell that to every girl? Not on your life! Seems as if I must have met you somewhere before. Wish I had, though. Well, I'll be; that's all. Short and sweet, yep—just like you. Tee-hee. See you later."

New Old Curtains.

A little ochre powder dissolved and added to starch will make old white curtains look like new ecru ones.—Home Department, National Magazine.

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SOCIETY

F. R. A. CARD PARTY

The members of the F. R. A. entertained at a private card party at their hall Thursday afternoon. Twenty tables of five hundred and cliche were played. First prizes, consisting of F. R. A. souvenir spoons were taken by Mesdames W. J. Ennison, L. Falk, J. Boltz and F. Kohn. Seconds were taken by Mesdames J. Brudlos, George Ash and J. P. Nutting and Miss Olga Gundlach.

FLOOD BENEFITS

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Governor's Guards association will give a card party at the Armory tomorrow afternoon, the proceeds to go to the relief of the Ohio and Indiana flood sufferers.

A benefit ball for the flood survivors was given at Linker hall last night by the Mystic Workers of the World at which about \$30 was cleared and will be added to the flood fund. L. C. Pitzer, precept of the Mystic Workers, was in charge of the ball and music was furnished by Andre's orchestra.

MEMBERSHIP SUPPER AT THE Y.

The first of a series of membership suppers, of which there will be five, was given at the Young Women's Christian association last night, there being about twenty-four girls present. These suppers are in the nature of "getting acquainted" gatherings and are informal.

MISSIONARY TOPIC AT Y. W. C. A. VESPER

At the vesper services of the Young Women's Christian association tomorrow afternoon Mrs. H. C. Stevens will be in charge of the meeting, which is in the nature of a missionary meeting. Mrs. Stevens will be assisted by a number of association girls, the subject consideration for tomorrow being Medical Missions in China.

There will be special music at the meeting tomorrow, Miss Hazel Oadams having been secured for a solo.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Mary Schmitt, Mormon Coulee road, gave a party Saturday evening in honor of her father's birthday. Music and dancing were the amusements of the evening. Music was furnished by Herbert Gautsch and John Sheke. Lunch was served at eleven o'clock by the Misses Katherine Schmitt, Mary Schmitt and Hannah Weiss. Those present were Misses Katherine Schmitt, Mary Schmitt, Emma Miller, Della Miller, Marie Klem, Agnes Troyanek, Mr. and Mrs. J. Troyanek; Messrs. Herman Troyanek, Art Bellow, Henry Roehl, Ed Troyanek, Charles Miller, Ed. Voves, Emil Koblitz, John Schmitt, Bernard Schmitt, Henry Kabat, Russell Bell, Oscar Weiss, John Stroeh, Oscar Gautsch, Henry Bellow, Fred Weiss, Herbert Gautsch, John Sheke and N. Schmitt. They departed for their homes at a late hour reporting a good time.

STAG PARTY

Mr. G. W. Hicklin entertained the clerks of the C. B. & Q. offices at bridge Thursday evening at a stag party.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mrs. Henry Faville, Mrs. W. W. Holcomb and Mrs. J. I. Lamb will entertain the ladies of the Woman's union of the First Congregational church Thursday afternoon at the church parlors. The ladies are invited to come at 3 o'clock and bring their work and spend a social afternoon. The young ladies of the congregation are especially invited to come to supper.

20TH CENTURY CLUB ELECTIONS

The Twentieth Century club met at the Y. W. C. A. parlors Tuesday April 1. The following were elected officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. George Bradish; first vice president, Mrs. F. E. Davis second vice president, Mrs. Emma I. Law; recording secretary, Mrs. B. C. Smith; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. H. Sanders; treasurer, Mrs. James Vincent; member at large, Mrs. A. Hardy.

After intermission Mrs. Bradish read a paper on conservation by Mrs. Crosby.

The Twentieth Century club will be entertained Tuesday, April 8, by Mesdames Kleeber and Fowler, at the home of Mrs. F. H. Fowler, 930 South Ninth street.

WOMAN'S GUILD

The Woman's guild of Christ church will meet at 2:30 Thursday afternoon with Mrs. H. J. Hirschheimer, 131 South Fifteenth street.

MISS LIVINGSTON MARRIED

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth M. Livingston to Mr. Samuel Whiter McCauley of Chicago, took place this morning at 10:30 at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary Livingston, 119 South Fifth street. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. Stanley Oadams, pastor of the First M. E. church.

The out of town guests were Miss McCauley of St. Louis, a sister of the bridegroom; Mrs. J. Preston Rice,

JONES WINS NEW HONORS ON STUMP

La Crosse Boy Captures First Place in Northern Oratorical League Contest

NINE UNIVERSITIES ENTERED

"Insurgency" Subject of Winning Oration; Has Been Given in La Crosse

Howard M. Jones of La Crosse won new honors for his home city and his university, when he was awarded first place in the Northern Oratorical league contest at Chicago last night. Nine state universities entered the competition and the first

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"Mr. and Mrs. Strange will sail today on the President for a month's stay in California at Los Angeles, San Francisco and San Diego. While in the south they will visit the parents of the groom. Upon their return to Seattle they will be at home at 1021 West Garfield street. The bride is a 1910 graduate of Grafton hall, the girls' boarding school of Wisconsin. Mr. Strange was formerly a resident of Missouri.

TAR EXPLODES—WOMAN HURT

GRAND RAPIDS, Wis., April 5.—The explosion of a can of hot tar, placed on the stove without the vent being opened, fatally burned Mrs. O. Boyle, 70 years old. The tar was to be used on the roof of the barn and Mrs. Boyle was about to remove it from the stove when the explosion occurred.

Noticed Improvement.

A commercial traveler on arriving at a wayside station between Sligo and Enniskillen, remarked to the chief official: "I observe your service has improved latterly." "Can't see it," replied the stationmaster stoically. "Oh, I can," said the "commercial." "Your trains are able to whistle without stopping now."

WHY IS IT?

that you vary in the amount of work you get through in a week? WHY IS IT that your work comes easier to you one day than after another? DO YOU KNOW that eyestrain causes this very trouble? Then let's have correct glasses.

H. C. Evenson

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HOWARD M. JONES

place went to Wisconsin on Mr. Jones' oration on "Insurgency." It was practically the same oration with which he won honors for the La Crosse high school and normal school.

The universities entered in the league were Indiana, Michigan, Iowa, Wisconsin and Illinois. Nebraska, Minnesota, Kansas and Ohio were eliminated from the final contest in the preliminaries.

By winning first place Mr. Jones was given a gold medal and \$150 in cash.

Howard Jones is the son of Mrs. Josephine Jones, 1632 Ferry street. He was graduated from the La Crosse high school in 1910 and from the La Crosse normal two years later. He is in his first year at the university at Madison.

of Grand Rapids, Mich; the Misses Caroline and Esther Livingston, sisters of the bride; Mr. James Livingston of Indianapolis, brother of the bride, and Mr. Harry Bennett of Milwaukee.

The bride wore a beautiful going away gown of one of the new shades of blue which was very becoming. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served. Those assisting were the Misses Gertrude Ives, Julia Colman and Magdalene Felber. Mr. and Mrs. McCauley left this noon on the Northwestern train for Chicago, where they will reside.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Rev. and Mrs. T. Stanley Oadams announce the engagement of their daughter, Hazel Adeline, to Walter Hyett Bentley of Oak Park, Ill.

VANCE POOLER MARRIED

The following taken from a Seattle paper will be read with much interest as the bride was a former La Crosse young lady, having spent most of her life in this city. She is a sister of Mrs. H. S. Burroughs of this city:

"A lovely home wedding which took place Thursday night was that of Miss Vance Beatrice Pooler and Mr. Max V. Strang. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Sidney Morgan of Queen Anne Episcopal church, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pooler, brother and sister of the bride, with whom she and her mother, Mrs. Frank Pooler, both of La Crosse, Wis., have been visiting since last November.

The bridal party took their places beneath a canopy of palms and pink bride roses to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march. The only attendant was little Elizabeth Pooler dressed in white voile over blue charmeuse and carrying the ring in a basket of trailing arbutus and baby roses.

The bride was gowned in white brocaded charmeuse, en traine. Her gown was trimmed with duchesse lace and pearls. An imported band of pearls and brilliants, with an aigrette, completed her coiffure. She wore no veil. Her shower bouquet was of bride roses and lilies of the valley.

"Pretty floral arrangements of green and white were used throughout the home, where a reception was held immediately following the ceremony. Those assisting the hostess, Mrs. Earl Pooler, and the bride, were Mrs. A. Strang and Mrs. E. J. Purdy.

"A big bouquet of pink bride roses adorned the bride's table. Streamers of pink chiffon tulle were daintily tied at each place and joined in the center of the table.

"During the wedding repast music was discoursed by a string orchestra.

"Mrs. Frank Pooler wore gray silk voile over lavender charmeuse, trimmed with lavender.

"Mrs. Earl Pooler's robe was of beaded chiffon over blue charmeuse, trimmed with gold ornaments and gold fringe.

"Mrs. A. Strang was gowned in gray crepe de chine and American Beauty chignon.

"Mrs. E. J. Purdy was attired in gray crepe de chine over gray, trim-

German Use of Potatoes.

Potatoes are dried in slices, chips and flakes in Germany for feeding to cattle, swine and sheep and hundreds of thousands of tons are consumed in that way.

Explicated.

"Why do you suppose he has such a vacant expression?" "Well, he thinks of himself a good deal."—Judge.

Daily Thought.

No liberal man would impute a charge of unsteadiness to another for having changed his opinion.—Cicero.

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LETTERS FROM SATISFIED STERLING CUSTOMERS.

Lake Linden, Mich., May 6, 1912.

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Gentlemen:—After a severe test of your brick machine I consider it to be my duty to tell you that our Cement Brick making with the Sterling machine is a complete success. We are making 8,000 brick in eight hours, and two hours to pile up, etc. We can make brick with your machine at a large profit, and our Cement Brick is far better than many of the so-called clay bricks. Please accept my sincere thanks for prompt attention in our case, which deserves best of recommendation. With best wishes of success,
I am yours respectfully,
A. F. WASIELEWSKI.

STERLING MACHINERY CO.,
La Crosse, Wis.

I am very glad that I bought one of your brick machines, for I can now give my customers a better quality of brick than before. It turns out a good product which pleases my customers, and does quick work.

PAUL BECHER, New Holstein, Wis.

STERLING MACHINERY CO.,
La Crosse, Wis.

Received the brick machine I bought of you. After giving it a thorough trial I find it satisfactory in every respect and I can do more work with your machine than any other machine I have ever used.

GEO. WEDELL, St. Paul, Minn.

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MISS PETERSON IS SCHOOL NURSE

Associated Charities Girl
to Devote Part of Time
in Miss Pattee's
Place

Miss Marie Peterson, visiting nurse for the Associated Charities and Humane society, will devote part of her time to the duties formerly performed by Miss Alice Pattee, visiting school nurse employed by the permanent tuberculosis committee who resigned for a place in Chicago last week, according to an announcement made today.

Miss Peterson will look up the absentees from school whenever they are absent for three days instead of every day, because of the fact that she can spare only her mornings to the work. It is the request of the health department that the teachers in the schools do all they can to co-operate with Miss Peterson in her efforts to locate possible infection or disease among the pupils as she will be able to spend but a limited time visiting the schools.

To assist her in her work with the associated charities it is planned to provide an assistant. Part of Miss Peterson's salary will be paid out of the fund that was raised by subscription for Miss Pattee.

TROOPS PROTECT MILL

AUBURN, N. Y., April 5.—Although two companies of the state militia and the city force of police were on duty about the International Harvester twine mill and the Columbian Rope company's plant today, trouble again started between striking employees of the two companies and workers who have continued their labors in the mills.

About 300 strikers gathered near the plant and threw stones at machinists entering the mill. None was injured. The soldiers and police drove the strikers back of the New York Central railroad tracks. No shots were fired.

Militia officers stated today that if a fight such as occurred yesterday when six strikers were wounded appeared imminent today they were under orders to "shoot to kill." Martial law was in force today in the plants of the two twine factories. The Columbian plant was closed down. The sheriff today issued a proclamation warning people against going near the plant.

S. E. DAVIS DIES

MINNEAPOLIS, April 5.—Spencer E. Davis, 71, of Minneapolis, founder of the Monitor Drill works, at Horicon, Wis., which employs 500 men, died early today in his private car as he was entering the city on his way home. Mr. Davis had gone to California during the winter for his health.

CURTIS HERE WITH HIS BALL TOSSERS

Superior Boss and Some of
His Players Here to
Open the Training
Season

Manager Curtis of the Superior baseball team, arrived in the city Wednesday, with a few of his players. Several have arrived in the city since, and by tomorrow afternoon, when the team will play the La Crosse Clothing company team, he will have fifteen players on his staff. The Superior team will be in training quarters here until April 23. The Central International (Northern) League, of which the Superior team is a member, will consist this year of Duluth, Winnipeg, Virginia and Winona. Mr. Curtis, manager of the Superior team, was formerly manager of the Winona "Minnies." He will have twenty-five players to start the season.

During their training session here Superior will play the first normal school team each week day. Games have been arranged for the three Sundays that the team will be in this city. Beside the La Crosse Clothing company, they will play the Athletics and Summits of the City League.

The game scheduled with the Minneapolis team of the American association was cancelled, as the Superior team will match up with the Chicago Cubs.

When the umpire calls time for the first game of the season here tomorrow, the league grounds will be in first class condition and a lively exhibition is expected.

BURGLAR ENTERS LARKIN'S HOME

The home of George Larkin, 1531 Wood street, was burglarized last night and five dollars in cash taken from Mrs. Larkin's purse which was left lying on a table. The thief entered through a kitchen window and ransacked the house while the family were asleep. He took the cash but as far as has been learned did not disturb other valuables although Mrs. Larkin's watch and other jewelry were lying on the same table with the purse. The police have found no clue to the burglar.

TRANE FIRM INCORPORATES

The Trane company of La Crosse has incorporated with the secretary of state for the purpose of conducting a business in heating and plumbing. Capital stock is \$50,000 and the incorporators are James A., Reuben N. and Stella I. Trane.

FIRE LOSS \$50

A small fire, starting in a cotton separator in the upholstery department of the Tillman Brothers' furniture store, caused about \$50 in damages at 2:15 this afternoon. Fire department No. 1 was called and put out the blaze.

STRIKE LEADERS FREED BY COURT

Haywood and Lessig Are
Exonerated from Charge
of "Unlawful Assembly"

PATERSON, N. J., April 5.—James F. Minton of the supreme court of New Jersey today freed William D. Haywood and Adolph Lessig, leaders of the great Paterson silk strike from a charge of "unlawful assembly," the court's decision establishing the right of free speech and peaceful assembly on the part of the strikers. It was greeted by quickly suppressed applause in the crowded courtroom and a moment later by prolonged cheering from the thousands of strikers on the streets near the courthouse.

In rendering his decision, Justice Minton said in part: "The right of free speech under proper restriction is one of the inalienable rights of the people, descended from the so-called Anglo-Saxon government. It is guaranteed under all our constitutions, federal and state."

"I have investigated all the evidence on which these defendants were held in jail charged with 'unlawful assembly' under the statute that defines unlawful assembly as a gathering to inspire fear and terror in the hearts of the people."

"I am unable to ascertain where the unlawful assembly existed in this case."

COON VALLEY MAN KILLED IN RUNAWAY

COON VALLEY, Wis., April 5.—(Special.)—Martin Thorason, a prosperous farmer of this town, was killed in a runaway this morning. Mr. Thorason was 55 years old. He has a wife and family here, and his mother, Mrs. Ole Thorason, his sister Anna and brother Silas, as well as his daughter, Mrs. Ole Nearcorn, live in West Salem.

URGE PLEA OF GUILTY

QUINCY, Ill., April 5.—That the relatives of Ray Franschmidt, on trial for the murder of his parents, sister and another girl, have been urging him, in case he is guilty, to plead guilty, and ask leniency, is the belief here. Such an intention is denied by his attorneys, who protest that the young contractor is innocent.

TRIED FOR Uxoricide

VAN WERT, Ohio, April 5.—When the trial of Ralph Hoover, 19, charged with the murder of his 17 year old wife, in their home, January 10, was resumed today it was expected that the defendant would again take the stand.

VARSITY MUSICIANS AT HIGH SCHOOL

Wisconsin Glee and Mandolin Clubs Delight with
Their Concert Last
Night

RECEPTION FOLLOWS PROGRAM

High School Glee Club Is
Highly Praised by the
Singers from the
University

The University of Wisconsin Glee and Mandolin clubs gave a concert at the high school last night under the auspices of the Booster, the official high school paper. As a result the Booster will have funds enough to make the annual one of the best in the state.

Encores Demanded

The concert was one of the best ever heard in this city. All of the numbers on the program were rendered in such an excellent manner that encores were demanded after each one. A vocal and instrumental quartet divided the honors of the evening. The vocal quartet, made up of Taylor, Bassett, Lange and Hendrickson, sang several fine selections of the popular nature that took well. One of the hardest selections written for the mandolin, "The Ideal Boston March," was played by the instrumental quartet made up of three mandolins and one guitar.

Mr. Wilson, the banjo soloist, was unable to appear, and Mr. Bassett sang several character songs as a substitute. One of them was an imitation of Chauncey Olcott singing "Where the River Shannon Flows." Bassett is a clever entertainer with a pleasing voice. In his last song he was assisted by Homer Davis, a local man attending the "U."

Reception Follows

After the concert a reception was given in the lunch room by the high school faculty in honor of the clubs, to which the entire audience was invited. The high school glee club furnished the entertainment, singing several selections that called forth much praise by the university men. The best number sung by the local boys was the "Marching Song," with Harry Marshall singing the solo part. Mr. Marshall has a fine tenor voice of remarkable range and sweetness and he was highly praised for his work by the visitors. Light refreshments were served.

MICHAEL BROPHY DIES IN HOSPITAL

Michael Brophy, 621 Cass street, died yesterday morning at 7 o'clock in a local hospital, after an illness of three months. Death was caused by a complication of diseases.

Mr. Brophy was born in Iowa, coming to La Crosse about 35 years ago, when he started in the livery business. For the past eight years he has been a cattle dealer. He is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Mary Crowley, Mrs. Ellen Cain of La Crosse, Mrs. J. W. Horrihan, Preble, Minn., and Mrs. James Nestor, Houston. Three brothers also survive, Thomas Brophy, Preble, Minn., Dr. Nicholas Brophy and John Brophy, Houston.

The funeral services will be held Monday morning at 10:30 from St. Mary's church at Preble. Interment will be made in the cemetery at that place.

TRAIN HITS DEPOT AND TWO ARE DEAD

HOYTVILLE, Ohio, April 5.—Two men were killed and eleven persons seriously injured when the Baltimore & Ohio railroad flyer, No. 6, running sixty miles an hour, plunged through an open switch at midnight and into the station here. The train after leaving the tracks turned over on its side. One of the persons killed and three of the injured were in the station when the train struck it.

DAVIES LEAVES TO SEE WILSON

MADISON, Wis., April 5.—Joseph E. Davies, mentioned as probable governor general of the Philippines, is enroute to Washington today, where, it is said, he will consult President Wilson regarding the proposed appointment. It was believed Davies would also confer with the president regarding the Wisconsin patronage.

PLANS SUBMITTED HERE

During the last week plans for three large building were submitted to Emil A. Erickson, secretary of the La Crosse Builders' exchange. They were for an addition to a school building and a new grade school building in Faribault, Minn., and a church building in Roscoe, Wis.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Lewis Corner sold lots in Davidson's addition to La Crosse to Josephine McDougal for a consideration of \$3,000 according to the deed which was recorded in the office of Register of Deeds Andrew Thompson today. Josephine McDougal sold two lots to David B. Rice in the same addition for \$2,000. William Tarbox sold a lot to John E. Coney for \$20.

FOREIGNERS LEAVE MEXICO

EL PASO, Texas, April 5.—Special dispatches from Mexico City today say there is such strong feeling that there will be an outbreak Sunday between the Huerta and Diaz factions that there has been a general retirement of foreigners from the city ever since Friday.

BORRESON FUNERAL HELD TOMORROW

Body of Former La Crosse
Woman, Who Died in Calumet
Thursday, to Arrive Here Today

The funeral services for Madame Louise Borreson, former resident of La Crosse, who died in Calumet, Mich., Thursday, will be held in the Congregational church parlors tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The body will arrive in this city this afternoon at 5:30.

Madame Borreson was a resident of La Crosse for more than twenty years, moving to her new home in Calumet last September with her daughter, Alice, who had accepted a position as teacher of French in the Calumet high school. She was taken ill last December and about three weeks ago was operated on for gallstones. She was unable to recover from the effects of the operation and her illness and she passed away last Thursday.

Madame Borreson had a large number of friends in this city having followed the vocation of instructor in French ever since she came here. She was possessed of a charming personality and an ever ready wit. The news of her death was received with genuine regret and the sympathy of her large circle of friends is extended to her daughter and two sons who also enjoy a large acquaintance in La Crosse.

She is survived by her daughter, Alice, of Calumet, and two sons, Julius Borreson of St. Louis, Mo., and George Borreson of Minneapolis. It is planned to make announcements of the complete arrangements for her funeral in the churches tomorrow morning. Interment will be made at Oak Grove cemetery.

SUFFRAGE CAMPAIGN ENDS IN MICHIGAN

Amendment Will Be Submitted to the People on
Monday; Morality
Issue Raised

DETROIT, Mich., April 5.—Michigan suffragettes, aided by fellow workers from all over the country, today made their final appeal for the right to vote. On Monday the women suffrage amendment to the constitution will be submitted to the people.

An issue of morality today served to side track both suffragettes and "anti" from their main arguments.

"How would you like to have your mother or sister locked up all night in a room with eleven men?"

This pointed paragraph, appearing in an anti suffrage circular discussing jury service for women, started the row. The suffragist leaders saw it, raised their hands in dismay and promptly rendered a verdict that the reference was "immoral."

MORGAN'S BODY SAILS

REMAINS OF FINANCIER START
HOME AT 6 THIS EVENING
ABOARD FRENCH
LINER

HAVRE, April 5.—The body of J. Pierpont Morgan started on its way home at 6 p. m. (1 p. m. New York time) today when the French lined La France sailed from this port for New York. A crowd of Americans from Paris and Havre stood bare headed on the quay as the huge steamship was warped out into the channel.

CLOTHING COMPANY BALL CLUB MEETS

Paul Hoyer was elected president of the La Crosse Clothing company baseball club for the coming season, at a meeting of the club held Friday night in the city hall. Business matters were discussed and prospects for the coming season talked over. Other officers were elected as follows: Business manager and secretary, J. Lester Gardner; treasurer, Arthur Ulrich; directors, F. Satek and Roy Falk. Gardner was appointed the representative of the club upon the City league committee.

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LA CROSSE, WIS.

LYNCH NEGRO WHO KILLED OFFICERS

Sheriff and His Deputy Are
Both Slain by Man They
Were Trying to Arrest

POSSE CATCHES THE MURDERER
Is Placed in Jail but Mob
Quickly Drags Him
Out and Strings
Him Up

MONDAY, Mont., April 5.—An angry mob yesterday lynched J. C. Collins, a negro, after he had shot and killed Sheriff Courtney and Deputy Sheriff Burmaster, while they were trying to arrest him.

Collins was wanted for beating a woman and Courtney, Burmaster and Deputy Sheriff E. P. Wilson went to a bridge construction camp near here after him. Wilson stepped into Collins' shack ahead of the others and was forced to give up his arms by the negro. Just as Collins stepped out of the door, Sheriff Courtney met him and attempted to arrest him. Collins fired twice and killed him, and then turned his gun on Burmaster, sending five bullets through his body. Burmaster died soon after.

A posse overtook Collins after an exciting chase and he was lodged in jail. A mob quickly formed and late yesterday Collins was dragged out of his cell, strung up from a telegraph pole, his clothing set fire and his body riddled with bullets.

SUFFRAGETTE BILL MAJESTIC FEATURE

A regular "suffragette" bill will be the feature of the new show which opens tomorrow matinee at the Majestic theater. The bill comprises five vaudeville acts with a total of eleven girls and not a man. The star act on the bill is the Nellie Bennett trio, in a unique gymnastic act. The three girls fence, wrestle and box and go through a series of physical culture stunts. The Don Adair trio are harmony singers, who style themselves the "singing girls." There is also a little sketch, said to be a screamer, called "The New Cook." This is put on by Misses Beach and Carroll. A pianologue with singing, dancing and dialogue as well will be presented by Doyle and Elaine, the Daffydill Girls, and Ethel Vane will present a classy aerial act.

AUTO BANDIT DIES TRYING TO ESCAPE

PARIS, April 5.—Lacombe, one of the notorious Bonnot automobile bandits, awaiting execution on the guillotine, today escaped from his cell in Sante prison, and when guards trapped him on the roof he leaped to the courtyard and was instantly killed.

VERCHOTA WINS IN RECOUNT OF VOTE

Although it took three recounts to decide the question it was finally announced at the special meeting of the common council last night that Joseph J. Verchota, socialist, was elected member of the county board of supervisors from the Third ward, over the former incumbent, Peter Lehnen. The vote was announced as 128 to 127. Verchota having the benefit of the odd ballot. The entire ticket from Mayor Ori Sorensen, mayor of the city, to the constable of the Twenty-first ward, as announced in the papers Wednesday, was elected. Leonard Kleber was the most elected man on the ticket, capturing the offices of supervisor, justice of the peace and constable of the Fourth ward. The resolution fixing the bonds of the city officials was passed after which the council adjourned.

LA CROSSE YOUTH IS CAUGHT IN SEATTLE

Maurice Craigen, of La Crosse, was brought to this city from Seattle, Wash., and lodged in central police station today by State Field Probation Officer Barney Jostad, and will probably be taken to Green Bay tomorrow. Craigen was sentenced to Green Bay reformatory several years ago and had been released on parole about a year ago. Shortly after his arrival in La Crosse he left the state for the west, thus breaking his parole. Attempts to find him proved futile until last week when he was located by the police of Seattle.

IS CAPTURED AFTER NEARLY TWO YEARS

After eluding the police of La Crosse for nearly two years, Ben Dearman, of Dresbach, Minn., wanted in this city on a charge of stealing a watch from Theodore Heide-man, 1021 South Eighth street, June 18, 1911, was captured in a downtown saloon last night by a patrolman. Dearman will be arraigned in county court probably late today on a charge of larceny from the person.

FRAUD WITNESSES NOTABLE

BOSTON, Mass., April 5.—Nearly 100 witnesses, including fashionable dressmakers, milliners and taxicab drivers, bank clerks, men-about-town and one prominent lawyer, will be served with subpoenas today to appear before the federal grand jury Tuesday in connection with customs frauds which, according to officials here, have been going on for ten years and which have cost the government millions.

MANY ACCEPTING "Y" INVITATIONS

Thirteenth Anniversary
Celebration at Masonic
Temple to Be Largely
Attended

A FINE PROGRAM IS PREPARED

Tempting Menu to Be
Served at Banquet;
Special Music
Provided

If the invitations sent out by the Young Men's Christian association are an indication of what standard is to prevail in the banquet of the thirtieth anniversary celebration no one fortunate enough to receive one should fail to assure themselves of a place there before the limit of 300 has been reached. The presence of Dr. George E. Vincent on that occasion assures the speaking end of the program and a peep at the menu would hurry anyone fond of good eats to the phone at once to secure his ticket. The best and latest bode on the market are on the card and will be prepared by an expert chef with able assistants in ample quantities.

The invitations sent out are beautiful in their makeup and design and reflect credit on those responsible for them. Those who wish to attend the banquet who are not members may file their request for a place and they will be cared for in order after the membership have been heard from.

The arrangements for the banquet are complete in most every detail. The dining room of the Masonic temple is to be decorated for the occasion in a fitting manner. Mr. Theo. Ubbelohde is to make the arrangements for seating the guests, each guest being placed at a table or group of tables where his special brand of sociability is in like company. It is expected that five or six tables will be filled with the dormitory men. The business men's volleyball teams and class will also occupy tables by themselves. The charter members of the association and the speakers of the evening will be at the table of honor.

The service will be in charge of Mr. Layton Gouldin and about forty young men, trained under his direction to keep a heavy supply of the delicious viands streaming from the kitchen to the guests in the banquet hall. Special music is to be provided during the evening and nothing will be lacking to make this a memorable occasion for every one who attends. The indications are that the place will be filled by the way the acceptance are coming in at the Y. M. C. A. office.

The anniversary service in the Congregational church on Sunday evening will also be a meeting that will mean much to those who attend. Mr. C. B. Willis, the general secretary of the Milwaukee Y. M. C. A., who attended, spoke and sang at the first anniversary meeting of the local association, will be the main speaker. Mr. Willis has attended many of the anniversary meetings of the local association and it is especially fitting that he is to be here at this time. Mr. F. E. Anderson, the state secretary, is expected to be present also and speak.

WEEK FINANCIAL

Bank Statement
NEW YORK, April 5.—The weekly bank statement issued today showed the following changes:
Surplus, decrease \$5,539,000.
Loans, decrease \$588,000.
Specie, decrease \$3,756,000.
Legals, decrease \$1,874,000.
Deposits, decrease \$8,696,000.
Circulation, increase \$26,000.
Surplus reserve \$10,222,800.

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NEW YORK, April 5.—As was naturally to be expected, the Stock Exchange movement of the day was one of moderate reaction from the upward movement of the past few days, which had already driven up active shares for four of five points from the earlier prices of the week. Along with this obvious profit taking movement, a fairly large business was transacted. Declines, however, did not generally run beyond the range of a point or so, and the close was marked by steadiness. Nothing of interest happened on the foreign markets.

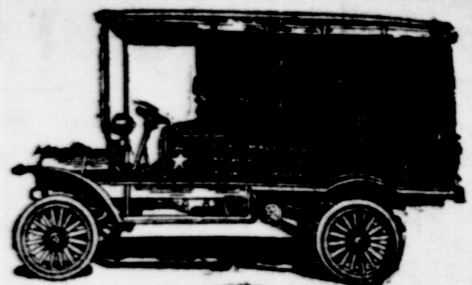
That the New York stock market should have advanced cheerfully on the very eve of the congressional session which Wall street had been insisting was to shake foundations of our institutions, is no more mysterious than that last week's Berlin stock market should have risen and its money rate declined, on the eve of a quarterly settlement for which financial crash had been predicted. There was much similarity between the two episodes.

TO SHOW AFRICAN VIEWS

Rev. T. Stanley Oadams, pastor of the King Street Methodist church, announced today that he will give a stereopticon lecture in connection with the regular services tomorrow evening on "Livingstone in Darkest Africa." The views are taken from actual photographs in the depths of the mysterious continent and the lecture will undoubtedly contain much of great interest to the audience.

Too Late to Classify

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WEST SALEM, WIS.

Mrs. George Wilcox is visiting relatives and friends in Janesville, Wis., this week.

Little Maynard Heider is in the La Crosse hospital for an operation on his throat.

Mr. George Dunlap, of Onalaska, was found dead in his shop on Wednesday morning. He is a brother of Mr. Ab. Dunlap of this village. Mr. Dunlap was in West Salem and spent a few days about a week ago. Mr. Dunlap was 75 years of age and his is the first death in a family of nine children. He is the oldest, and the youngest member of the family is 34 years of age.

The Mission club of the Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. A. Cullman Friday afternoon. The subject for study was the new China and the home mission subject. The entertainers are Miss Mary McElowney, Miss Nellie Smead, Mrs. J. Pettigill, Mrs. J. Sparling, Mrs. F. J. Bolles and Mrs. Pinkerton.

The funeral of Mr. Peter Sparling of Sparta, aged 82 years, took place Wednesday afternoon. The Masons had charge of the services, which were held at the West Salem cemetery.

Mr. Sparling at one time was a resident of Barre Mills and is well known to some of the older residents.

Miss May Sparling, of Milwaukee, Wis., and Miss Agnes Sparling of La Crosse came to West Salem Wednesday to attend the funeral of their father, Mr. Peter Sparling of Sparta.

Mrs. Ed. C. Neitzel returned home Friday after several weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Thorason.

The services of the Federated church will be held in the Presbyterian church next Sunday as the Congregational church is being freshly painted and new carpets put down.

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FEAR A FAMINE OF FREIGHT CARS

Automobile Manufacturers Trying to Help Railroads Deliver the 1913 Models

Studebaker Prepared

Costly Shipping Platform Pays its Way in Prompt Service to Dealers

To help the railroads and thereby make possible the prompt delivery of the 1913 automobile crop, is the task which Detroit manufacturers are now facing. Competition for empty freight cars is already keen; a real famine in rolling stock is predicted for April and May.

At least one of the big manufacturers meets this crisis well prepared. This is the Studebaker Corporation which has just made an investment of over \$60,000 in the very latest facilities for swift, efficient handling of freight. Studebaker cars are now being shipped on this new loading plant by the hundred, on schedule, two trainloads at once.

Students of traffic conditions are interested in the Studebaker loading plant because of its novelty and on account of the striking way by which it solves a peculiar side-track condition.

The main line tracks back of the Studebaker plants are 20 feet above the level of the factory yard. The new loading plant is merely a massive shelf, two city blocks long, level with the tracks and supported on cement piers. On the shelf are sidings and a platform; under the shelf is a great storage space.

Along a factory street comes a steady procession of finished cars; under the shelf they pass, and onto one of the two hydraulic elevators. Up they go, two automobiles in each load, to the platform, level with the freight car floors. Loading is steadily in progress on both sides.

At one place the platform is pierced by a siding that leads incoming freight to a door in the Studebaker second story. A rolling bridge spans the gap. The whole plant is brightly lighted at night.

Sales Manager Benson has assured Studebaker dealers of his belief that undue traffic delays have been wiped out by the new equipment.

"From now on, we expect to be provided with all the freight cars we need," he declares. "The railroad people know that we will load the cars we ask for, in the least possible time. They know too, that there is no part of the United States where there is not some Studebaker dealer, anxious for another carload of automobiles. Cars that must be returned to definite points can always get a load at our platform. With such shipping facilities as these, we shall be able henceforward to give our dealers co-operation in deliveries, far ahead of anything in former seasons."

Self-Confidence.

Lack of self-confidence ever makes you fall back in the ranks, weak, helpless, despairing. It shuts from you the revelation of power that is born only of action. Feel in every fiber of your being, feel with the heat and glow of conviction that you have infinite possibilities you must yourself make realities, or you will do nothing truly great.—Herbert Knowles.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Wisconsin.—In Probate.—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of John Christopherson, late of the Town of Greenfield, in said County, deceased.

Letters of administration in said matter having been granted to Anna Christopherson, of the Town of Greenfield, notice is hereby given that six months after the 13th day of March, A. D. 1913, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance, and that said Court will on the 16th day of September, A. D. 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court in the Court-house in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 13th day of March, 1913.

By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

JAMES THOMPSON,
Attorney for Estate.

MILLER ELECTED STATE FOREMAN

Seventy-five New Members Taken in by Yeomen During Conclave in La Crosse

The state convocation of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen came to a close Tuesday night when, at an adjourned meeting of La Crosse Homestead, a class of 75 new candidates were taken in. An interesting program was given, consisting of the following numbers:

Violin solo: Iris, Nettie Benz, Violinist; Julia Cordell, pianist.

Reading: Hats off to the B. A. Y., composed by Mrs. H. A. Lee; encore, Brown has his hair cut.

Duet: "I Love You, My Own," Vera Sundvay and Ned Frame, accompanied by Nellie Rubert, pianist; encore, "That's Why I Need You," Ned Frame.

Reading: Like His Mother Used to Make, Mr. Grieg.

Short talks were then given by Mr. Gooding, a prominent lawyer of Fond du Lac; O. G. Winters, chief medical director of the order of Des Moines, Iowa; and A. E. Montgomery of Marinette, which were thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The Young Ladies' drill team then put on their fancy drill. The ladies in the team are as follows: Captain, Mrs. Lee; Lizzie Wolf, Clara Larsen, Mabel Larsen, Selma Hansen, Runa Nelson, Selma Reitan, Julia Hanson, Leona Michels, Goldie Sholes, Mae Deoff, Mate Gantsch, Vera Sundvay, Myrtle Benjamin, Bessie Hies, Vera Sundvay and Clara Corcoran.

The Yeomen quartette, consisting of Nettie Benz, Lulu Wachsmuth, Julia Cordell and Ned Frame, sang during the initiation and added much to the beauty of the work.

Dr. Burritt, Hon. Foreman, presented to Mrs. H. A. Lee, president of the Rowena circle, a beautiful ebony gavel, mounted in solid silver and with the name, "Anna Lee" engraved on it, a gift from the members of the circle. The entertainment was concluded with a grand ball. The Yeomen orchestra furnished excellent music for the occasion. In the afternoon seventy-five members of the circle attended the Bijou theater in a body. The delegates, however, were unable to attend the party until 4:30 when 75 of them went and enjoyed the pictures.

The next state convocation will be held in Eau Claire in 1917. Following are the officers elected to serve during the next four years:

G. B. Miller, state foreman.
C. A. Willis, state correspondent.
Mr. Montgomery, master of ceremonies.

Grace LeTendre, master of accounts.

Mrs. Hall, chaplain.

The following delegates were elected to represent the state of Wisconsin at the national convocation, which will be held in Oklahoma City, June 6th: Mr. H. A. Lee, delegate at large; Dr. E. E. Burritt, of LaCrosse; C. A. Willis, Eau Claire; Mr. Lyeon Belmont; Mr. Montgomery, of Marinette; and Ada Garland of Superior.

"REDDY" GRIFFIN'S ESTATE VERY SMALL

ST. PAUL, April 5.—W. H. Griffin, known here for years as "Reddy" and who died on March 20 at Shakopee, was revealed today as a poor man, in spite of the general impression that he had been made wealthy through gambling.

Griffin's will was filed today for probate. The estate amounts to only \$2,000. He left bequests much in excess of the value of the estate.

Mrs. Cora A. Griffin is executrix.

BOY CONFESSES HE FIRED SCHOOLHOUSE

MILLER, S. D., April 5.—The mystery of the burning of the school house was solved today when a 12 year old boy confessed here that he started the fire because he did not want to attend school.

How About Madame.

"Under the lax American system of bringing up girls," says a Paris Journal, "the American young man rarely wins the first kiss from the girl who is to be his bride." Maybe, but by Heck! that is not so bad as the Gallic discomfort of never knowing who has won the last kiss from the "madame."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Painful Situation.

"My friends," declared an orator during a convention—"My friends, I say to you that this great republic of ours is standing on the brink of an abyss!"—Saturday Evening Post.

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SPOTLIGHTS

BEVERLY

An announcement that should prove of unusual interest to theater patrons is the early presentation here of George Barr McCutcheon's charming romantic play "Beverly," a superb dramatization of his most successful novel, Beverly of Graustark, which for the past two seasons has been delighting the patrons of the first class theaters for long engagements in New York, Chicago, and all of the other principal cities. La Crosse Theater tonight at 8:15.

THE BOHEMIAN GIRL

It is an almost entirely new Bohemian Girl that the Aborn Opera company will present at the LaCrosse Theater on Sunday, April 6, matinee and night. Not new as regards its music, as all of the sweet old melodies are of course retained, but in addition thereto, there are several airs included that were composed especially for the operatic festival of the French Second empire. The latter were not sung in any American production of "The Bohemian Girl" previous to their introduction by the Aborns in their spectacular version last season, the same as that now being given. The claim to newness for their production, it is said, is based on the lavishness and completeness with which Milton and Sargent Aborn have put it on. To it, it is claimed, they have given a scenic adornment such as never before had been supplied to this opera, and one that takes rank with the famous productions of the Metropolitan Opera house.

"SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS"

Harold Bell Wright's novel, "The Shepherd of the Hills," dramatized under the same name, was presented at the Grand Opera house last evening for the first time in Philadelphia before an audience that filled the large auditorium. The story has been converted into play form by Mr. Wright and Elsbury W. Reynolds.

It is a pastoral play, as the name would imply, but it is different from other dramas of the sort. A proud old New Englander, Grant Matthews by name, but called more frequently "Old Matt," journeys westward, primarily for the novelty that a wild and simple life affords and secondarily for the improvement of his health. His prouder son, "Young Matt," who is known more formally as "Grant Matthews, Jr.," follows him for similar reasons.

There are quarrels and physical encounters, disagreements and reconciliations in true western fashion, and here and there are other thrills. The

moral of the play is "contentment," and it is amply illustrated. La Crosse Theater, Saturday, April 12, matinee and night.

Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

Burglar is Honest

DETROIT, Mich., April 5.—An "honest burglar" last night extracted \$3 from a roll of \$18 belonging to Mrs. H. B. Castle, and left this note: "Thanks. I was hungry.—J. D."

Champion Aide to Stork

JACKSON, Miss.—Dr. R. G. Johnson claims the record for officiating at child births. In forty years he has attended the arrival of 6,240 youngsters.

Breaks Piano Marathon Mark

SYDNEY.—Walter P. Brent broke the marathon piano playing record of Australia by thumping the instrument for three days, eight hours and ten minutes without a break.

Hats and Auto Poor Bait

CHICAGO.—Thirty hats and an automobile were the bait William Marshall testified he offered his wife to bring about a reconciliation. She refused and he is suing for divorce.

Speakers Are Plentiful.

Every banquet needs a few good hateners.

Making Mistakes.

The wisest man is likely to make a mistake, but he isn't the wisest man if he makes another like it.



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CHURCH NEWS

The Religious Activity Of J. Pierpont Morgan

The late J. Pierpont Morgan found time, in the midst of finance and art, to do an amount of personal church work second to almost no layman in the country. His activity took three special lines, apart from mere money contributions in response to appeals. To these lines he gave personal attention, and with some New York laymen in his own church he had an agreement that they were to come to him, whenever they saw him, and tell him of their work. Sometimes he was unable to talk with them when they went, other things pressing, but he was always courteous, and usually set another time for them to come.

One of the three lines was among the poor of New York's east side, represented in St. George's church, fronting on Stuyvesant Square. Another of the lines was, naturally, the financial side of missions. In the Diocese of New York, where he invariably attended conventions, not to talk but to serve on committees and work, he not long since put finances into excellent shape. The third direction where in his interest lay was the development of the trained volunteer church worker among laymen. He was part of the lay movement for efficiency among laymen, trained Sunday school superintendents, leaders in work among boys, experts in missions and social service, and contributed regularly to the funds necessary to put on trial some of the new methods for greater efficiency. It is not known yet whether he has left any money to continue this lay work.

Churches to Help The Flood Victims

National agencies in all religious bodies are taking steps to help their respective churches in the flood districts of Nebraska, Indiana and Ohio. Their relief is destined to aid not merely in the rebuilding of churches, where necessary, but in putting on their feet again Christian families who have suffered financial losses. Christians in these bodies are contributing through regular channels for immediate relief, but the farther efforts to put forth to cover the next few months.

Religious weeklies out now contain latest information concerning losses, and in most cases appeals for financial aid. Missionary societies have already named custodians for special funds. Some of them have sent personal representatives into the afflicted territories to assure sufferers that their fellow Christians will help them to rebuild their churches and restore their homes.

Presbyterians to Meet at Atlanta

Atlanta is to be Presbyterian in every part during the last half of May. For the first time in their history the general assemblies of the Presbyterian Church North, South and United will meet in the same city at the same time. All Atlanta is getting ready for the unusual honor. Three churches have been designated as meeting places of the respective assemblies, and the Baptist Tabernacle and the city auditorium are to be used for mass meetings. These meetings will start May 15 and

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seeking relief from the illnesses caused by defective action of the organs of digestion. Most serious sicknesses get their start in troubles of the stomach, liver, bowels—troubles quickly, safely, surely relieved by

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In Churches

First German Methodist Church.

First German Methodist Episcopal church, John E. Klaus, pastor. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m. William Baumann, superintendent. Public worship with preaching by the pastor, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Epworth league devotional meeting, 6:45 p. m. Mrs. Benjamin Starch, leader. Literary and business meeting of the Epworth league Tuesday, 8 p. m. Midweek prayer service Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. Ladies' Aid meets in parlors of the church Thursday, 2:30 p. m. Class for instruction in the Christian life, Friday, 7:45 p. m. German school with catechetical instruction, Saturday, 9:15 a. m.

St. Paul's Universalist Church.

St. Paul's Universalist church, Cass and Eighth streets, George R. Longbrake, minister. "What the Rivers and Floods Teach Us" will be the sermon theme at the service of public worship at 10:45 a. m. Our Sunday school is a real school of religion as well as Bible study and meets at 11:45 a. m.; new scholars may enroll at any time. Miss Alice Mowry will be the leader at the Young People's Christian union devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m.; topic for discussion, "The Value and Importance of the Sabbath Day."

First Methodist Church

First Methodist Episcopal church, corner of King and South Eighth streets. The pastor, Rev. T. Stanley Oadams will preach next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; subject, "David Livingstone, or the Heroism of These Later Centuries." In the evening at 7:30 the picture sermon will be upon "Livingstone's Land, Through Darkest Africa." One hundred stereoscopic views of life among the native tribes and equatorial scenes in the heart of Africa where Stanley found Livingstone. These scenes are by the most up to date photographers, across country to the Congo and following that stream to the farther ocean. Other services: Class meeting, 9 a. m. Sunday school and men's brotherhood class, 10 a. m.; Epworth league, 6:45 p. m. Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, ladies' prayer circle. The annual supper of the men's brotherhood on Tuesday evening, is ladies' night, supper served at 6:45 p. m. in church parlors and a fine entertainment has been provided. Prayer service on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

The First Baptist Church.

First Baptist church, Sixth street between Main and King. W. Adelbert Billings, pastor. The Bible school meets promptly at 10 o'clock. Class for young men meets at same hour in church parlors. The morning services for worship with special sermon by the pastor at 11 a. m. Subject, "Lest We Forget." The Lord's supper will be observed and new members taken into the church at the conclusion of the sermon. The mission study class meets in the church parlors at 6:30. All young people are invited. The evening service of song and sermon will be of especial interest. Good inspirational music will be rendered by the choir. A brief after service for prayer and mutual acquaintance. All strangers who are lonely, or discouraged will find that this service aims to reach such minds. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

Evangelical Christian

Evangelical Association church, corner Vine and West avenue. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching, 10:30 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6:45 and preaching at 8 p. m.

Christ Church (Episcopal).

Christ Church (Episcopal), Ninth and Main streets. Services for the second Sunday after Easter. Morning prayer (in chapel), 7:30 a. m.; holy communion, 8 a. m.; sermon and special music, 10:45 a. m.; evensong and sermon, 4:30 p. m. Music for the day: 10:45, Venite, chant form; Jubilate, Bruce Steane in F; anthem, "Awake, Thou that Sleepest" (Daughter of Jarius), Stainer; 4:30, Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, Marks in B flat; anthem, "Comes at Times a stillness as of even," Woodward. Rev. W. Everett Johnson, rector.

West Avenue Norwegian Lutheran

First Congregational church, Main and Seventh streets, Henry Paville, pastor. Morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; preaching by the pastor. Morning theme, "Forgiveness of Sins." Bible school at noon to which all are invited. The general topic for the

To Prevent Duplication Of Special Sundays

Protestant ministers of the country report themselves distracted by the multitude of special Sundays fixed by various interests, as Labor Sunday, Child Labor Sunday, Tuberculosis Sunday and the rest. They say there are no Sundays left for regular work. Besides, not a few special Sundays are fixed for the same dates. The Federal Council of Churches has called a conference of leaders of all of these special interests, to meet on April 15, to try to lessen the number of Sundays and avoid duplication.

The Federal Council has also tak-

month of April in the men's class will be "Eugenics." "The Importance of the Subject" will be the topic discussed Sunday. Leader, Prof. Thompson. Vesper service, 4:30 p. m. Sermon upon the topic, "Philips Desire for the Father."

English Lutheran
English Ev. Lutheran church of the Holy Trinity, West Ave. and Ferry Sts., Rev. W. P. Christy, pastor. Sunday school, 9:20 a. m.; services, 10:45 a. m.; Ladies' Missionary society will be entertained Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. by Mrs. Magnusson, 710 Ferry street. Sunday school chorus, Wednesday at 7 p. m.; choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 8 p. m.; Girls' Circle, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

Emmanuel church.—Sunday school, 9:15 a. m. Morning service, 10:30. Young People's meeting, 6:45 p. m.

German Baptist Church
German Baptist church, corner of Seventh and Winnebago streets, E. Berger, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning service at 10:45; evening service at 7:30; Wednesday evening prayer meeting; Saturday at 10 a. m., boys' band, and at 2 p. m. sewing school under the leadership of our missionary, Miss Ida Weidreier.

West Avenue Methodist
West Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, West Ave. So. near Jackson street, J. E. Watson, pastor. Morning worship at 10:30 o'clock. Sermon topic, "Obstacles to the Christian Life." Sunday school at 11:45. Epworth League at 6:45 p. m. Topic, "The Indignation of Jesus." Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. Sermon topic, "The Golden Age." Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. You will find a cordial welcome at all these services.

City Mission
City Mission, D. C. Dewey, Supt. Services at County Jail at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Evening service at 7:45 p. m. Girls' Bible class, Monday night at 6:30. All girls are invited.

Reformed Church
St. John's German Reformed church, Fourth and Market streets, Rev. E. Vornholt, pastor. Divine services: 9:15 a. m., Sunday school; 10:30, introductory sermon by the new pastor; 7:00, Young People's meeting and teachers' meeting.

First Church of Christ Scientist
First Church of Christ, Scientist, King street, between Fifth and Sixth. Sunday service at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Wednesday at 8 p. m. Free reading room open each week day excepting legal holidays from 2 to 5 in the church.

English Evangelical Lutheran
English Ev. Lutheran Church of the Holy Trinity, West Ave. and Ferry street, Rev. W. P. Christy, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30; services, 10:45 a. m. All welcome.

First Presbyterian church, corner King and Sixth streets. Morning service, 11 a. m.; evening, 7:30. Subject of morning sermon, "The Ministrations of the Spirit." Evening subject, "The Soul in Conflict with Evil Spirits." Sunday school, 10 a. m. Junior society, 3 p. m. Senior Exhorter, 6:30. Men's Bible study club Monday evening, La Crosse Presbyterian and Woman's Presbyterian Missionary society in Galesville Tuesday and Wednesday. Ladies' society with Mrs. Tull and Mrs. West Thursday afternoon. Mothers' circle home cooking and apron sale Saturday afternoon.

Spiritualist
Spiritual church meets in Odd Fellows Hall, 119 South Fourth street, first floor over the Ten Cent store, Rev. Catherine McFarlin, minister. Services Sunday evening, 7:45; subject of the discourse will be "A Rejection of Psychic Facts." The Psychic club meets at 3 o'clock with a free healing circle. Wednesday evening regular consolation service, 7:45. The public is cordially invited to all services.

Norwegian Lutheran
Corner West Avenue and Division street, Rev. R. Anderson, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school with Bible Study at 12:00. Evening services at 7:45.

en action to secure, if possible, large numbers of chaplains in army and navy departments of the national government. The authorized strength of the army is 95,000 men, scattered in 157 garrisoned posts. Some posts are not occupied, however. There are in the navy 35 battleships, 32 cruisers, 21 gunboats, 10 monitors, and 116 smaller vessels, with 53,375 officers and men. The number of chaplains in the army is 67, and in the navy 21. The council appeals to President Wilson and the congress to increase the number of chaplains.

Financial Explanation.
"Well, sir," cried Mr. Richpop, "what does this mean? My daughter sitting on your lap, sir?" "Why, yes, Mr. Richpop," said Waggle. "You see, sir, I have just suggested a consolidation of our interests, and I have undertaken to act as a holding company until the merger is completed according to established forms."—Harper's Weekly.

This is a bustling age and the lunch counter habit will enable you to hurry through.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

SUGGESTIVE QUESTION HELPS TO THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

If you would like to have answered any particular question each week from "The Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School Lesson" by Rev. Dr. Linscott, send in your request to this office, giving the date of the lesson and the number of the question you wish answered. You may select any question. Dr. Linscott will answer the questions either in these columns or by mail through this office. Don't forget to state what benefit these "Suggestive Questions" are to you. Give your full name and address. Send your letters to The Question Editor of The Tribune.

April 6, 1913
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Jacob and Esau. Gen. xxv:27-34; xxvii:1-45.

Golden Text—Jehovah is a God of justice; blessed are they that wait for him. Isa xxx:18.

(1.) Verses 27-28—Which was the elder, Esau or Jacob?

(2.) Take two boys, one fond of hunting and the other inclined to industrial pursuits, and say which, from your observation, is the more likely to be prosperous, and why?

(3.) What is the tendency when a father allows himself to feel and show partiality to one child more than to another?

(4.) Even if one child is better than another and is more solicitous to help his parents than the rest of the children, should parents show more love for that one than the rest? Why or why not?

(5.) Verses 29-34—What rights did the first born have in those days over the other children?

(6.) What can you say for or against the law of primogeniture, which still prevails in England and some other countries?

(7.) Should the first born have any rights in the family not possessed by the rest of the children? Give your reasons.

(8.) How much can you praise or blame Jacob for wanting to buy and Esau for selling his birthright?

(9.) When a man sells or barter's morality for momentary gratification of appetite or passion what results generally follow?

(10.) Chap. xxvii:1-5—How old was Isaac when he died?

(11.) When the parents are divided concerning the treatment and training of the children what results may be expected?

(12.) How would you prove that Isaac was going contrary to the expressed will of God in wanting to give the family blessing to Esau? (See Chap. xxv:23.)

(13.) Verses 6-17—Rebekah knew that God intended the blessing for Jacob. Why therefore did she not do right to help God carry out his purpose?

(14.)—

(15.) If we have a distinct promise of God that a certain thing will be done should we have any anxiety about it being accomplished? Give your reasons.

(16.) Verses 18-20—Why is a lie never justifiable?

(17.) What was the loss and gain of this lying transaction?

(18.) Where can you draw the line between innocent and wicked deception?

(19.) How much is a blessing worth when obtained by deception?

(20.) Verses 30-40—What would it have availed Esau even if he had received the blessing he sought?

(21.) Of how much benefit is the blessing of a good father upon a bad son?

(22.) Verses 41-45—What was the actual penalty which Rebekah and Jacob suffered through their deception?

(23.) When did Jacob and his mother meet again?

Lesson for Sunday, April 13, 1913. Jacob at Bethel. Gen. xxviii:10-22.

COMMISSION PLAN FOR COUNTY RULE

MADISON, Wis., April 5. — The two bills for the abolition of the present county board system and the substitution of a commission form of government for counties have been reported to the house by the committee on state affairs without recommendation. The Peavey bill provides for the abolition of the county board system, but the Judson Hall bill would leave it for the counties to decide whether they desired to adopt the new form of government. The state affairs committee could come to no agreement on the bills.

Trees Resist Lightning.

The electrical resistance of trees is quite great, a quality which protects them to a considerable degree from lightning stroke. This resistance varies greatly with the character of the tissues and also with the temperature. This fact results in an annual and daily period in resistance. The cambium layer shows the least electrical resistance, followed by the phloem and sapwood.

Just a Way They Have.

When one woman wants to make another one sore, she tells her how much better than usual she is looking. —Milwaukee Sentinel.

Daily Thought.

To cultivate kindness is a great part of the business of life.—Samuel Johnson.

Wit of Sages, Folly of Clown.

Stolen Gems from Humor's Crown.

Back Stairs

A young housewife was showing a new and very inexperienced colored maid around the house, explaining the various duties that would be hers. In an upper hall they came suddenly to the head of the stairs, and the lady said:

"Nancy, you will go down this way, always," and with that the little mistress slipped and tumbled, going all the way down with many lurches and bumps.

The new maid was aghast. "My lan', missy, ah'm afraid ah won't suit you all. Dat a-way ob goin' downstairs am a heap too strenuous fo' me."—Woman's Home Companion.

The Paper Gave Out

An old Scotch lady was told that her minister used notes. She disbelieved it. Said one: "Go into the gallery and see."

She did so, and saw the written sermon. After the luckless preacher had concluded his reading on the last page, he said, "But I will not enlarge."

The old woman cried out from her lofty position: "Ye canna! Ye canna! for your paper's give out!"

A Railroad Emergency

"I think the seediest railway line in the world is the one that runs between — and —, out west," said a traveling man, who recently returned from an extended trip. "We were crossing a stretch of prairie land near —, when the train suddenly stopped for no apparent reason. After a wait of almost an hour the conductor came sneaking through the train, glancing furtively at exasperated passengers as he passed. When he came to me he stopped and leaned down.

"Say," he said in a whisper, "have you got a piece of string? We want to fix the engine."—Harper's Weekly.

North Side Church News

Norwegian M. E.

Norwegian Methodist church, corner of Berlin and Sill streets, A. Hermansen, pastor. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.; preaching, 10:30 a. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All are welcome to our meetings.

German M. E.

Corner Clinton and Berlin streets. Rev. J. W. Witter, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; preaching service at 10:30; Epworth league at 7:15 p. m.; preaching service at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45. German school for children at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

Caledonia St. Methodist Episcopal

Caledonia St. M. E. church. 9:30 a. m., class meeting; 10:30, morning worship; 12 m., Sunday school; 6:30 p. m., Epworth League; 7:30 evening worship.

Scandinavian Baptist

The Scandinavian Baptist church, corner of Charles and Logan streets. Morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m., E. A. Fors, Supt. Evening services, 7:30 p. m. All Scandinavians are cordially welcome to all our meetings.

Norwegian Lutheran

Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of Charles and Sill streets, Rev. E. O. Vik, pastor. Morning services, 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9 a. m.

North Presbyterian Church

Corner Avon and Logan streets. Rev. Finch A. Clark, pastor. Morning worship at 10:30; sermon theme, "The Oneness of All Real Christians." Evening service at 7:45 sharp; sermon theme, "The Value of Experience and Its Products." Our young people's choir will sing at both services. All who do not at-

THE FIRESIDE SERMON

By Lucius C. Clark, D. D. Saturday, April Fifth, 1913. Elihu Yale, Born April Fifth, 1649

I Chronicles, 4, 10.

"Jabez called on the God of Israel, saying, 'Oh, that thou wouldst bless me indeed, and enlarge my coast'—and God granted him that which he requested."

Jabez was one of the first to get the idea that it was worth while for a man to pray for material benefit. He became a benefactor because he had the right view of the source of blessing. His name may not have been familiar or his act understood by men of later day, but he is their ancient likeness.

The school of the ancient Jabez is not perpetuated in his name like that of the modern benefactor Yale. Blessings on benefactors who build in brains.

John Adams' Treatment for Cold.

In a letter dated May 12, 1774, John Adams wrote to his wife: "My cold is the most obstinate and threatening I ever had in my life. However, I am unwearied in my endeavors to subdue it and have the pleasure to think I have had some success. I rise at 5, walk three miles, keep the air dry, and walk again in the afternoon."

tend any other church are invited to attend these services and to make this their church home. Sunday school at 12 m.; Junior Christian Endeavor at 3:30; Young People's meeting at 7 p. m. in the lecture room. The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid society will be held in the church parlors Thursday afternoon. Mesdames Kathary, Knight, LaCourt and Jojade will entertain.

Trinity Lutheran

On Avon street, Rev. L. S. Marvick, pastor. Services Sunday evening at 7:30. No morning services. The Sunday school meets at 9 a. m. The Ladies' Aid society meets Tuesday afternoon in the church parlors. Mrs. E. Drake entertains.

Bethel Norwegian Lutheran

Bethel Norw. Lutheran church, corner of George and Sill streets, O. L. Christenson, pastor. Service Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 9 a. m. All are welcome.

Tabernacle Baptist church

Corner Clinton and Avon streets. Howard Beldon Leonard, minister. Residence 1343 Caledonia street. Public worship at 11:00, sermon by the pastor, subject, "Christian Affection." Bible school at 10 o'clock. Classes for all ages. Baptist Young People's union at 6:30. Evening service at 7:30, with sermon by the pastor, subject, "An Obligation." Midweek service for praise and prayer every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Business meeting of the church the first Wednesday evening of each month. Covenant meetings are held the last Wednesday of each month. The Lord's Supper is celebrated the first Sunday of each month at the close of the morning service. Visitors and strangers and people without a home are invited to worship with us.

FIVE PRESENT AT SENATE'S SESSION

MADISON, Wis., April 5. — The senate on Friday concurred on the Roetho resolution on the death of Assemblyman J. B. Johnson.

A resolution was also adopted providing for the printing of 1,000 extra copies of Gov. McGovern's marketing commission bill and his special message to the legislature regarding it.

Only five members were present at the session.

It adjourned until 9 o'clock Monday.

It is quite possible for a man to speculate in wheat without having a grain of common sense.

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THE DAUGHTER OF BRAHMA

By I. A. R. Wylie
Author of *The Native Born*, *Dividing Waters*, etc.

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Domestic Hints

(From The Scotch-American)

A teaspoonful of salt in the water in the outer vessel of a double boiler will raise the temperature of the contents of the inner vessel. A cereal may be made to boil this way without danger of burning.

Alcoholic drinks most certainly do not improve digestion in a healthy stomach, because they harden foods, and so make them more difficult to digest. Water moistens food better than any other liquid.

To clean an enamel bath, take a heaped tablespoonful of kitchen salt, moisten it with turpentine, and with it scour the bath; then rub with a clean cloth. Before beginning operations take care that the bath is perfectly dry.

Never trouble to shave down the end of a too thick candle, for there is a better and quicker plan. Get a little hot water, and in it hold the end of the candle till the wax softens, then press it into the candlestick and it will fit firmly directly.

When the nails are hard and brittle, with tiny ridges occurring along their entire length, rub them at night with cold cream, massaging it well into the base and at the sides. Remove any discoloration with lemon juice. The use of a little ammonia in the bath water will strengthen the nails.

For marmalade pudding take three ounces of breadcrumbs, two ounces of suet, two ounces of flour, one ounce of sugar, two tablespoonfuls of marmalade, one-quarter teaspoonful each of salt and baking powder, one egg and one-half pint of milk. Shred the suet and chop finely, mix all dry ingredients, add

GINK AND DINK—Petey Thought The Wires Were Crossed

By C. A. Voight



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WANTED—Laborers for construction work on reservoir on Grand bluff. Apply at works. 3 29 tf

WANTED—For U. S. army, able-bodied unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and habits, who can speak, read and write the English language; good pay, food, lodging, clothing and medical attendance free. For information apply at Recruiting Stations at 226 Main street, La Crosse, Wis., or Hankato, Austin, Fairbault, Rochester, Owatonna, Minn. 4 1 6 30

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MEN WANTED to handle package freight during season of navigation. Wages 35c and 40c per hour. Apply in person after April 15th to W. J. Connors, 85 Reed St., Milwaukee, Wis. 4 2 tf

WANTED—At once, 25 laborers for construction work. Apply at La Crosse Gas Works. 4 1 tf

WANTED—Foreman for a sash, blind, solid and veneered door factory. A permanent position for the right man. Answer at once with reference. Address "G," care of this paper. 4 3 9

WANTED—Experienced door cutter, one who thoroughly understands lumber and grades of doors. Permanent place for the right man. Address F 7, care of Tribune. 4 3 9

WANTED—Good collector and solicitor for good position in city. Must have good references. Married man preferred. Address "20" Tribune. 4 4 5

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TWO HUNDRED to four hundred dollars per month, salary or commission, selling our high class and exclusive specialties. Sold in every town. Finishing Products Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 4 5 5

FARM FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

120 acre highly improved farm, 3 miles from Hixton; 80 acres under cultivation, balance pasture and timber, about \$1,000 worth of stock and machinery included. Price is low and will be given on application.

Two houses and corner lot, close in, on car line, only \$3,500.00. Good income property, will make fine factory site, on railroad, at a low figure.

Nice building lot on Winnebago street, \$80.00. Owner paid over \$150. Must sell by May 1.

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WANTED—Men to sell seeds to farmers and ornamental stock in town. Apply at once. Herrick Seed Company, Rochester, N. Y. 4 5 5

SELL, GROCERIES direct to farmers in your community for the largest wholesale house selling direct by samples. All goods guaranteed. Drop shipments or car loads. Permanent positions worth \$35 to \$100 per week and up. Liberal terms. Give references. Address Dept. A B, Hitchcock Hill Co., Chicago. 4 5 5

SEND FOR FREE SAMPLE—Magic household utility. No competition. Quick sales. Enormous profits. Permanent customers. Exclusive territory. Seano Company, Wilmette, Ill. 4 5 5

WANTED—Boys at Stoddard hotel. 4 5 8

LOCOMOTIVE firemen, brakemen, wages about \$100; experience unnecessary. Send age, stamp, Railway, care Tribune. 4 5 8

A Progressive Insurance Company having large established business in La Crosse, wishes to employ a married man between 25 and 40, who has satisfactory record of employment past five years and who can give good references, as to character and habits, to collect and do general work in city. Salary \$65 per month. Industrious man can make considerable additional salary through commissions. Permanent position with opportunity for advancement. Address, Box 469, La Crosse. 4 5 5

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—A young or middle aged lady (from the country preferred) to help in a good Christian family. Address or call, Mrs. O. C. Parker, 1532 Madison St. 4 3 12

GIRL WANTED—Germania hotel. 4 1 7

WANTED—Girls at La Crosse Steam Ldry, 117 So. Front. 3 31 tf

WANTED—Nurse girl at 613 King St. 3 31 tf

WANTED—Girls at the Reliable Steam Laundry, 117 North Sixth. 4 4 7

WANTED—Kitchen girl at 215 So. 5th St. 4 4 7

WANTED—Girl, 821 State. 3 20 tf

WANTED—Kitchen girl and chamber maid at the Allen Hotel, 433 Mill St. 3 31 4 5

WANTED—Girl at Henry and Frank's, 118 North Third. 3 27 tf

WANTED—Nurse girl at Mrs. Dr. Evenson, 223 South Sixteenth. 4 5 tf

FOR SALE—On account of sickness

5 acres land, good house, barn and other buildings at edge of city limits. No reasonable offer refused. Call at 121 South Front or phone 480-A. 4 1 5

FOR SALE—16 foot hunting boats. Call at 629 North Ninth street, evenings. 4 1 tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs, 75c per 15; \$4.00 per 100. Wisconsin standard seed corn. Van Loon, La Crosse. 3 22 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, horse, Imperial Dyers and cleaners, 227 No. 3rd. 3 31 tf

FOR SALE—House, cheap, if taken at once, 1536 Denton 3 31 4 12

FOR SALE—Four room house, summer kitchen, barn and lot, 1734 Ferry. 3 31 4 5

FOR SALE—3 H. P. boiler, shaft and pulleys. 2135 Market. New phone 480-M. 3 20 tf

FOR SALE—Four chair barber shop. Geo. H. Berger, 122 South Third street. 4 10

FOR SALE—Property at 931 West avenue south. 3 29 4 5

SINGLE COMB White Leghorns, Single Comb Black Minorcas and White Rocks, beautiful stock, eggs for hatching, \$1.00 for 15. Monaca Dunn, 1235 Madison street, new phone No. 1572-A. Call and see the birds. 4 5 5

FOR SALE—A modern two story pebble-dashed house. Inquire 1302 South Thirteenth St. 4 4 tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for housekeeping. No children. 415 E. Fifth St. 3 31 4 5

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. 617 Cass. 3 20 tf

FOR RENT—Modern flat. Call at 119 South Tenth. 4 2 tf

FOR RENT—Modern six room brick house, rear 1116 Main street. Inquire H. L. Taylor, Room 1 Batavian bank building. 3 26 tf

FOR RENT—Rooms at 122 North Third street. 3 21 4 20

FOR RENT—Six rooms over Bijou theater. Enquire Bijou manager. 4 1 tf

FOR RENT—Five rooms downstairs. 811 Johnson street. 3 13 tf

FOR RENT—Six rooms on ground floor, partly modern. 136 South Seventh. Inquire upstairs. 4 5 11

FOR RENT—Four rooms at 423 West avenue north. Call new phone 482-M. 4 5 8

FOR RENT—Four room modern flat. 712 Cass street. 4 5 tf

FOR RENT—Meat Market, including refrigerator, cutting block, counters, scales, etc.

One of the best openings in the city for good live man to make money. Address M. M., care of Tribune. 4 4 10

FOR RENT—Two separate stalls

rear of Fay Lewis Cigar Store, one with concrete floor, suitable for automobile and horse. Holway Estate, new phone 194-C. 3 20 tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 220 South Eighth. 3 25 tf

FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping, at 133 South Fourth street, third floor. 4 3 9

FOR RENT—Rooms, partly modern. 1214 South Ninth. 3 27 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room, at 129 South Seventh. 4 1 tf

FOR RENT—Ten room house, 223 Division, cheap. 4 1 7

FOR RENT—After April 1, part of double house, modern, city heat. 215 North Seventh. 3 21 tf

FOR RENT—One large front room downstairs, suitable for two. 130 South Tenth. 3 27 tf

FOR RENT—Five room cottage. 1626 Market. Call at 1530 Main. 3 31 tf

FOR RENT—Modern brick house. 1219 Jackson St. 3 31 tf

FOR RENT—Modern house, 920 Division. 4 4 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. City heat. 924 Main. 4 4 7

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Mrs. Walker, 317 So. 8th. 3 31 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Boards at 149 South Sixth street. 4 1 tf

CHAUFFEUR wishes steady position with private family; will repair and care for car, strictly sober and married. Address Chautau, Tribune. 4 2 7

INVESTORS LOOK HERE

There is a demand for modern cottages in the north part of the city. I am receiving numerous inquiries every day for such property. I have only one house and one flat to rent of my enormous list. With this exception there are no vacant houses in North La Crosse.

I have some choice lots in the best residential portion of this part of the city. The prices of these lots will positively be raised April 15th. This is the time to buy.

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WANTED TO RENT—Small modern house or flat, city heat. Give location and rent. Address X, Tribune office. 4 5 tf

WANTED TO RENT—Five room cottage, south side. State price, location, etc. Address "Cottage," care of Tribune. 4 5 7

TRY QUINN'S New Restaurant, 122 North Third street. Regular dinner 20c. 3 21 4 20

FOR CAREFUL HANDLING of furniture and general draying call old phone 5301; new 576 Black. 3 11 4 10

WANTED—Show cases in good shape. Must be cheap. Address "Show-case," care of Tribune. 4 3 5

WANTED—To rent, small house or part of double house. Address C, care Tribune. 4 3 5

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Several lots in Hingen's addition, between 12th and 13th streets.

3 lots with 6 houses on Milwaukee street, cheap.

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LOST

LOST—Little girl's hat. Finder please return to 1231 Ferry. 4 4 8

LOST—English bull dog. Call new phone 994-R. 4 5 tf

IF PARTY who took silver mounted umbrella from Theater Candy Store Sunday will return same to theater no questions will be asked and reward paid. 4 4 5

LOST—Silver bar pin with green flowered enamel face. Return to Tribune. 3 31 4 5

FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, April 5.—The stock market opened active and lower.

11 a. m.—Though the bears renewed their pressure on the market soon after the opening, at no time during the first hour did the leaders show signs of a break to lower levels. There was fairly good support for the Hill issues and Steel.

The stock market closed fairly strong.

New York Money

NEW YORK, April 5.—Bar silver: London 26 13-16d; New York 58 1/2c Demand sterling 48 1/2.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 5.—Cattle—Receipts 100; market nominally steady.

Hogs—Receipts 1,200; market steady to 5c lower; bulk \$8.80 to \$9.00; heavy \$8.65 to \$8.80; medium \$8.90 to \$9.05; light \$8.80 to \$9.00.

Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., April 5.—Hogs—Receipts 12,000; market strong; mixed and butchers \$8.75 to \$9.20; good heavy \$8.70 to \$9.12; rough heavy \$8.55 to \$8.70; light \$8.75 to \$9.35; pigs \$6.35 to \$9.15.

Cattle—Receipts 300; market steady; beefs \$7.20 to \$9.20; cows and heifers \$3.75 to \$8.25; stockers and feeders \$6.10 to \$8.15; Texas \$6.70 to \$7.85; calves \$6.00 to \$8.50.

Sheep—Receipts 3,500; market strong; native \$6.10 to \$7.15; western \$6.10 to \$7.15; lambs \$7.15 to \$8.90; western \$7.15 to \$8.90.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, April 5.—Butter—Extras 34c; firsts 31c; dairy extras 32c; firsts 28c.

Eggs—Prime firsts 16 1/2c; ordinary 16 1/4c to 17c.

Cheese—Twins 13 1/2c to 13 3/4c; Young Americas 13 to 13 1/2c.

Potatoes—40 to 47c; Mich 42 to 47c.

Live Poultry—Fowls 16 to 17c; ducks 17c; geese 18c; spring chickens 17 1/2 to 18c; turkeys 15c.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, April 5.—Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.03 to \$1.06; No. 2 hard 91 1/2 to 94c; No. 3 hard 90 to 93c; No. 3 spring 85 to 88c.

Corn—No. 2 white 56 to 56 1/2c; No. 2 yellow 56 to 56 1/2c; No. 3 52 1/2 to 53 1/2c; No. 3 white 54c; No. 3 yellow 52 1/2 to 54c; No. 4, 50 1/2 to 52 1/2c; No. 4 white 52 1/2 to 53c; No. 4 yellow 51 1/2 to 52c.

Oats—No. 3 white 33 1/2 to 34 1/2c; No. 4 white 33 to 33 1/2c; standard 33 1/2 to 36c.

Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, April 5.—Wheat again had a strong undertone today that resisted efforts to bear the market. Opening higher than yesterday's close, both months made advances. There was a slight dropping in the later trading but both months closed firm on the day's opening. Higher Liverpool cables were the dominating factor.

There was a feeling of uncertainty in the corn pit today, and the range was narrow. Small receipts were offset by slim buying orders from the east and the market was almost at a standstill.

Oats ruled easier at the opening, but recovered. May shaded slightly higher and July a bit lower than the day's opening at the close.

May pork broke forty cents after opening higher on some commission

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Open. High. Low. Close

WHEAT—May . . . 91 1/2 91 1/2 91 1/2 91 1/2

July . . . 90 3/4 90 3/4 90 3/4 90 3/4

CORN—May . . . 54 1/2 54 1/2 54 1/2 54 1/2

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OATS—May . . . 34 1/2 34 1/2 34 1/2 34 1/2

July . . . 34 1/2 34 1/2 34 1/2 34 1/2

PORK—May . . . 20.40 20.40 20.00 20.00

July . . . 20.35 20.37 20.07 20.12

LARD—May . . . 10.95 10.95 10.85 10.90

July . . . 10.90 10.90 10.82 10.85

RIBS—May . . . 11.17 11.25 11.15 11.15

July . . . 10.97 10.97 10.87 10.90

Milwaukee Grain Market (E. G. Hadden Co., Room 417 McMillan Building.)

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DAILY MARKETS

(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Bananas, per bunch . . . \$2.00

Lemons, Cal., per box . . . \$8.00

Lemons, Messinas, 300 size, box 6.50

Sweet potatoes, bushel . . . 2.00

Celery, per bunch75

Cranberries, Cape Cod, bbl. . . \$7.00

Cranberries, Wis., bbl. . . \$6.00

Oysters, Standards, per gal. . . 1.30

Oysters, Selects, per gal. . . 1.60

Potatoes, Irish, per bu. . . 35c

Onions, per bu.1.00

Cabbage, per bbl.60c

Naval oranges, 150-176-200-216 box . . . 3.75

Oranges, Florida, box . . . 3.75

Grape fruit, 26-40 box . . . 3.50

Grape fruit, 54-64-80 box . . . 3.75

Western Apples

Fancy Jonathans, box . . . 1.50

Wagners, box1.50

Wine Saps, box1.50

Sitzburgs, box1.50

Rome Beauty, box1.60

Ben Davis, box1.10

Russells, fancy3.25

Kings, fancy3.50

Ben Davis2.50

Willow Twigs3.75

Genitous Wine Saps 3.50

Livestock

(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs \$8.00 to \$8.30

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SECURES RELEASE OF NAVY CATCHER

MILWAUKEE, April 5.—Admiral Harry Mueller, the best catcher in Uncle Sam's navy, has become a landlubber once more, and it is expected that he will report to Chas. Moll's W.-I. leaguers as soon as the club goes into training at Oconomowoc.

Word of Mueller's release was received by Moll on Friday from Jos. E. Davies, the democratic political leader, who interested himself in Mueller's behalf at the request of the Mollcoddie boss. Two Wisconsin congressmen were also working for the youngster's discharge as was the captain of the Louisiana on which Mueller served.

Nonagenarian Hard to Kill

NEW YORK.—Henry Schmitz, 90 years young, was knocked down and run over by an automobile. Asked if there was anything he needed, he called for a whisk broom, used it and walked off.

BASEBALL SEASON OPENS IN GOTHAM

NEW YORK, April 5.—The baseball season is here. From all parts of New York state fans hurried today to Ebbets' new ball field in Brooklyn, where the Yankees and Superbas were scheduled for the first contest of the year. Long before the new \$700,000 lot was open for the first time, there was a line of spectators waiting for the opening of the ticket office. When the umpire yelled "Play ball," it was expected that the crowd on the stands would number 25,000.

Both Chance and Ebbets issued statements regarding their hopes. Here is the announced lineup:

New York—Daniels, rf; Wolter, cf; Hartzell, 3b; Cree, lf; Chase, 2b; Chance, 1b; Sweeney, c; Derrick, ss; Caldwell, p.

Brooklyn—Stenger, cf; Cutshaw, 2b; Meyer, rf; Wheat, lf; Daubert, 1b; Smith, 3b; Fisher, ss; Miller, c; Rucker, p.

Latest Sporting News

SUTTON SAYS HE CAN BEAT HOPPE

Veteran Billiardist Says He Will Come Back and Be 18.2 Champion Again

ST. PAUL, April 5.—George Sutton, the veteran western billiardist, who is playing in the All-Star billiard tournament, which now is in progress here, last night decimated the praise that has been accorded Willie Hoppe.

Sutton does not consider Hoppe a natural-born master of the cue, although he acknowledges the boy wonder trimmed him, and did it fairly. The Chicago player proclaims that in a spring on his Michigan farm he has found the "elixir of life" and the old man feels revived.

"This baldness is premature," he says. "These gray hairs were caused by my defeats. I'm young. I'm a new man now, and I will show this precocious youngster how billiards should be played. I'm going to be the 18.2 balk line champion again."

LOSES FIVE HATS ON BOWLING BET

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 5.—A Bowling match among guests of the Hotel Blatz at the Eagles' club last night, cost George Mueller of La Crosse, Wis., five perfectly good hats. Mueller lost the sky-pieces by wagering he could keep one out of every ten balls he rolled from hitting the gutter.

CLEVELAND BOXERS WIN

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 5.—Although the Cleveland boxers won from the Pittsburgh scrappers here last night in the inter-city tournament, the representatives of the latter city gave the local boys a bad scare by capturing three of the seven contests. The winners for Pittsburgh were: J. J. Westwood in the 105 pound class; Harry Greb, in the 145 pound class and John Foley in the heavyweight class.

BINGLES FROM THE TRAINING CAMP

URBANA, Ill., April 5.—Warmer weather today brought encouragement to Manager Jake Stahl and the Boston Red Sox may remain here until next week for a few practice games with the University of Illinois. Stahl was so disgusted at yesterday's weather that he was ready to lead his team to Chicago and wait for clear skies.

CHICAGO, April 5.—With fair weather today fans are expected to take the first chance to see the Cubs in action on the home lot this afternoon. Indianapolis will furnish the opposition.

Al Bridwell, who was last heard from at Portsmouth, will play short this afternoon.

OWENSBORO, Ky., April 5.—Owenboro settled down to the usual humdrum routine today when the last of the training Brewers broke camp and started for Milwaukee. Manager Clark and the regulars left for Davenport, Iowa, enroute to Milwaukee yesterday.

NEW ORLEANS, April 5.—Rain interfered with the scheduled Naps-

BLOW BY BALL KILLING KEMPF

Famous "Dutch" of the Illini Team Slowly Dying from Cancer on the Jaw

CHICAGO, April 5.—George A. Kempf, known more familiarly as "Dutch" Kempf, to University of Illinois baseball fans, probably will die as a result of being struck by a baseball. The former Illinois star is at the point of death at his home.

Within the last year he has undergone three operations for a malignant growth on the jaw, and has reached a stage where it is almost impossible for him to take nourishment.

Kempf's mother attributes his condition to a slight injury received in a ball game some years ago. At the time he thought nothing of the matter, but later a tumor developed. Cancer followed, and no hope of his recovery is held out.

Pelican game yesterday, so the two teams will play their last contest of the season here today. The Naps leave tomorrow night for Cleveland. Manager Birmingham reports all his men in fine condition with the exception of Pitcher Blanding, who is still suffering from an injured foot.

RICHMOND, Va., April 5.—The nearer the Giants get to the Polo grounds, the greater becomes their batting and fielding averages. McGraw figuring on the showing made against the Southern teams, expects to have a perfect machine by the time his regulars go into action. Today the squad left here on its trip north.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, April 5.—The National league team arrived here today. They finished their tons spring training trip by beating Louisville yesterday 2 to 0. The Reds series with the Detroit American league team has been called off and an attempt will be made to put the Red field in condition for the opening game with Pittsburgh Thursday.

TOWN NEAR MERRILL FEARS BIG FLOOD

MERRILL, Wis., April 5.—The little village of Heights, about ten miles south of this city, is threatened with a serious flood. An ice gorge about twenty feet high has formed at that village and, acting as a dam, is holding back a large volume of Wisconsin river water. Farm lands along the river between this city and Heights are overflowed and the water will soon be several feet deep in Heights, if the gorge is not broken. Residents along the lower banks of the river have been warned and have prepared themselves against the breaking of the ice dam.

About 700 feet of the track of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad between this city and Wausau have been washed out, putting a stop to all train service between these cities.

Massaged to Music

CHICAGO.—Patrons of a Turkish bath in the loop district are now massaged to lively orchestra tunes. The innovation is a big hit.

COMMITTEE WILL PROBE FAIR SITE

MADISON, Wis., April 5.—The legislative joint committee on finance on Thursday decided to recommend for passage the Carpenter bill creating a special committee of six assemblymen and three senators to investigate and report on the best site in Wisconsin for state fair grounds. Under the bill the present site of the fair at West Allis is to be considered along with other proposed sites. The committee is to report to the legislature within thirty days.

CHILD FALLS INTO BOILING SUDS; DIES

GRAND RAPIDS, Wis., April 5.—The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Suchoski died at her home on the west side as the result of burns received by falling into a pan of hot water. The mother was engaged in scrubbing the kitchen floor, using a large pan of hot water. The child stumbled and fell into the boiling suds, scalding her body from the waist down. The little one died a few hours later.

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